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"HOURS BEFORE KNEW WHAT IN HEAVEN'S NAME HAD HAPPENED"—MILES SAYS OF PEARL HARBOR

Labor Holds Hope Senate May Kill Anti-Racket Bill

By WILLIAM F. ARBOGAST
WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—(AP)—Organized labor took solace today in past senate performance as it pondered its first recent major setback in the house.

Failing to block a drive that won lopsided approval for a bill designed to make unions liable to punishment for violations of the 1934 anti-racketeering act, labor supporters said they were confident they could win in the senate.

A similar bill passed by the house in the last congress died in senate committee.

Heavy Penalties Set

Direct outgrowth of a 1942 supreme court decision setting aside the conviction of a local New York teamster union on charges of conspiracy to violate the 1934 law, the bill would bring union activities within the scope of that act if they constituted "robbery or extortion."

Conviction would be punishable by a much longer term of imprisonment and a \$10,000 fine.

It strikes from the 1934 law a ban against its application to labor organizations "lawfully carrying out the legitimate objectives" of unions, and removes a section exempting wages paid by a bona fide employer to a bona fide employee from the definition of "property" or "money."

The House action cleared the doubt of labor bills in position to be acted on before the Christmas recess, unless unexpected developments jar loose from committee the president's proposal for fact-finding boards to handle major labor disputes.

Mayer's Top Salary

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—(AP)—Hollywood's Louis B. Mayer tops a new treasury list of high salary earners. Mayer's \$908,070 from Loew's, Inc., placed him ahead of every corporation employee in the nation.

Today In Washington

By The Associated Press

Pearl Harbor committee continues questioning of Gen. George C. Marshall.

Senate—Continues on ship sale bill.

Labor committee hears Donald Richberg testify on bill to establish fact-finding boards in labor disputes.

Military committee calls Navy Secretary Forrestal and Rear Admiral Thomas H. Robbins, Jr., for testimony on armed forces merger legislation.

Atomic energy committee hears navy department witness.

House—Starts debate on revised employment legislation on strike-prevention legislation.

Naval committee begins study of shipping available for return of service men from overseas.

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UNEMPLOYMENT 30 TO 40 PER CENT UNDER GOVERNMENT FORECAST; FIVE MILLION MAY BE 1946 PEAK

OFFICIALS, GUARDS OF CONCENTRATION CAMP TO BE HANGED

DACHAU, Dec. 13.—(AP)—A U. S. military court today sentenced 38 officials and guards at the notorious Dachau concentration camp to death by hanging for the murder, torture and starvation of thousands of the camp's inmates.

Another defendant was sentenced to life imprisonment and three others were sentenced to terms of 10 years each.

The 40 defendants were convicted yesterday by the military tribunal, which debated only 90 minutes before bringing in its verdict.

Among those convicted were five camp doctors and three prisoners who had collaborated with the S. S. Witnesses at the trial said that 5,000 Jews were killed at Dachau, that inmates were brutally beaten, naked men were immersed in ice water for experiments and that some men were sent to the crematory while still alive.

The camp was the most notorious and most feared of the concentration camps set up by the Nazis for political prisoners.

Troopship Is Safe

NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—(AP)—The Navy said today the troopship Joseph Hooker, which radioed a distress call from the Atlantic last night, still was shipping water but was proceeding at its knots and expected to reach port under her own power.

Christmas Parcel Mailing Lagging, Postmaster Says

Better get those Christmas packages in the mails!

Corsicans are as "slow as can be" this year in mailing their Christmas packages is the observation of local postal authorities who consequently look for an unprecedented last minute rush unless mailing is speeded up considerably during the remainder of the week.

Two clerks were busy at the parcel post window by this time last year, and by the fifteenth of December, 1944, the heaviest part of the Christmas mailing rush was over, postoffice employees recalled Thursday.

Though this is the thirteenth day of the month with only 11 full days remaining before Christmas, the real rush hasn't even started yet, G. C. Hudson, postmaster said.

At the parcel post window, W. C. Galloway estimated that final Christmas mailings would be heavier than in the few years previous and listed reasons to expect a heavy Christmas mail. Though necessities are scarce, there are more "gift items" on the market than in the past few years, he stated, and pointed out that since more servicemen are at their homes this Christmas, the regular "culetide" mailings would be swelled by packages formerly mailed in the early overseas mailing period.

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is anticipated at the local postoffice, according to Galloway, and those who wish to avoid standing in long lines during the last few days should "get a move on" and make it to the postoffice "muy pronto."

Gen. Galloway said.

The committee wishes you in your new year the same high degree of success you achieved in other fields."

In concluding his testimony, Marshall asserted angrily that Short was given a "definite" alert order before the Japanese assaulted Pearl Harbor and felt he had been "let down."

Earlier, it had been brought out that Short had set up only an anti-racketeering alert in response to a Nov. 27, 1941, warning from Marshall that hostile action was possible.

The former army chief of staff flared up under persistent questioning about information given to overseas commanders in the last few days before the Pearl Harbor attack plunged this nation into war.

General Short was given definite orders, Marshall said. "He was given an alert order. I still feel that when you give a command to a high officer you expect it to be carried out."

Marshall's statement yesterday that he—Marshall—was responsible for actions of the general staff and that he had "full responsibility" for any failure in Washington to see that Short went on a full war alert.

Replying to a series of questions from Senator Lucas (D-Ill), Marshall also told the committee that his staff had had no knowledge of any information prior to Dec. 7 definitely pointing to an attack on Pearl Harbor.

That President Roosevelt and Secretary of War Stimson knew

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FACT FINDING BOARD IN GM LABOR DISPUTE—These three men were appointed to a fact-finding board to study the General Motors labor dispute by President Truman. Left to right are Milton Eisenhower, president of Kansas State College; Lloyd K. Garrison, chairman of the War Labor Board, and Judge Walter P. Stacy, who will head the fact-finding board. (AP Wirephoto)

INJUNCTION AGAINST PICKETING IS ASKED BY GENERAL MOTORS

COMPANY CALLS ACTION "ILLEGAL;" THREAT TO NON-STRIKING WORKERS

DETROIT, Dec. 13.—(AP)—General Motors Corp. sought an injunction today against a striking Cleveland local of the CIO's United Auto Workers Union, alleging "illegal picketing" at the Fisher body plant in that city.

The corporation's move, in which it charged "threats and personal abuse" were used against non-strikers trying to enter the Cleveland plant, was made as negotiations over the picketing issue were in progress.

The petition for an injunction was asked in Common Pleas court in Cleveland and, according to a General Motors announcement here, specifically named an incident of Tuesday when 600 employees allegedly were prevented from entering the plant.

The union denies charges.

The striking union has denied General Motors' charges here that pickets have exceeded their rights under the law.

Actually on strike are 175,000 employees. General Motors has not stated what proportion of the remainder of the 35,000 of work have been kept out by the illegal picketing.

While some union leaders resumed limited negotiations with General Motors Corp., others more militant in tone took to the streets today to map further strategy for speeding up settlement of their wage fight with the Ford Motor Co.

Negotiators for both Ford and the CIO United Automobile Workers appeared still conciliatory despite a company blast at overall

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Strikes At a Glance

By The Associated Press
Continuing labor disputes keep 400,000 idle throughout the country.

Major labor developments: Automobiles—CIO United Auto Workers Union, its 30 per cent wage increase demand rejected by Ford Company, resumes limited negotiations with General Motors; Ford hits overall union policy but UAW to press wage demands at tomorrow's parity.

Electrical—Nationwide strike vote today among union-estimated 200,000 CIO electrical workers in plants of General Electric, General Motors and Westinghouse over wage dispute.

Legislation—House passes legislation applying the 1934 anti-racketeering act to labor unions, law opposed by organized labor.

Transportation—Transportation system in Cumberland, Md., 40,000 population, disrupted by work stoppage of 60 AFL bus drivers and 15 mechanics of Potomac Edison Company in wage dispute.

Railroads—Government asked to take hand in settling wage-rule disputes.

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NATION'S RAILROADS WANT GOVERNMENT AID IN LABOR TALKS

THREE-WEEK PARLEY WITH 20 UNIONS IS STALLED ON RULES

CHICAGO, Dec. 13.—(AP)—The nation's railroads today asked the government to take a hand in wage-rule negotiations with 20 railroad unions.

Spokesmen for the carriers said union representatives were notified this morning that the railroads would ask the National (Rwy) Mediation Board to intervene after a three-week conference "stalled on the issue of rule changes."

Carriers claimed wage and rule demands would increase operating costs \$2,000,000 annually, and that some 50 rule changes demanded by Brotherhoods of Locomotive Engineers and Railway Trainmen alone would involve an additional \$785,000,000 a year.

Although there is a sizeable anticipated nationwide demand for workers, Bell said, the number of jobs in sight will be less than the more rapid increase in labor supply as final lay-offs of workers occur, seasonal farm workers return from the harvest, and an expected discharge of some 11,000 servicemen in December add to the labor market.

Three-to-One Ratio
Statistics compiled from 20 cities in Texas indicate a labor demand in the next two months for 41,405 workers, 80.3 per cent of which must be filled by December, Bell's experts said.

Unemployment
Unemployment experts said 128,800 workers, 76.3 per cent males, during the two-month period, or three workers to every one job opening.

Belk estimated state unemployment at 100,000 and expects 100,000 unemployed by the first of the year.

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World Conference To Promote Trade Planned By U. S.

By JOHN SCALI
WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—(AP)—The United States has invited 14 of the world's key trading nations to a "roundtable" discussion designed to cut down tariff barriers and begin the task of expanding world trade.

Disclosing this today, officials who asked not to be named said the conversations will precede a full-dress United Nations trade and employment conference scheduled for next summer.

Countries reportedly invited to the preliminary meeting are Britain, Russia, France, China, Canada, Brazil, Australia, Cuba, New Zealand, Belgium, Holland, Czechoslovakia, South Africa and India.

No date has been set yet, but the officials said it probably would be held in the Spring and might take place in Europe even though the United States is the sponsoring nation.

Countries accepting the American invitation will be those prepared to begin detailed negotiations on steps to promote world trade as agreed to by the British and American governments last week in connection with a projected \$4,400,000,000 credit to England.

"These negotiations should get down to cases, seeking to reduce tariff, to eliminate preferences, and to lighten and remove other barriers to trade, whatever they might be," the Anglo-American statement said.

Heavy Increase In Veterans Seeking Employment Noted

AUSTIN, Tex., Dec. 13.—(AP)—Discharged World War II veterans in heavily increasing masses are invading the United States Employment Service in Texas in search of jobs.

USERS, director disclosed today with figures indicating 74.4 per cent increase in veteran traffic during the last month.

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UNREST THREATENING SEVEN MONTHS ENDED BY NEW AGREEMENTS

JOINT WITHDRAWAL OF TROOPS SLATED IN NEAR FUTURE

LONDON, Dec. 13.—(AP)—Foreign Minister Ernest Bevin told commons today that Britain and France have agreed to joint withdrawal of their troops from Syria and Lebanon.

Signed in London today, the British-French agreement provides for close alignment of policy in the Near East with the object of settling unrest marked seven months ago by armed clashes in a Syrian demand for independence from France.

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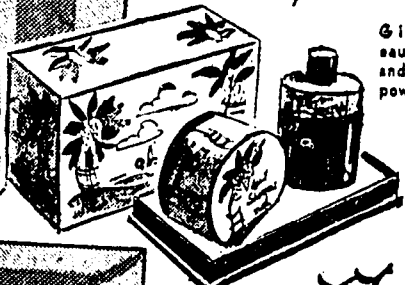
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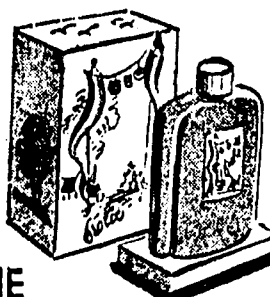
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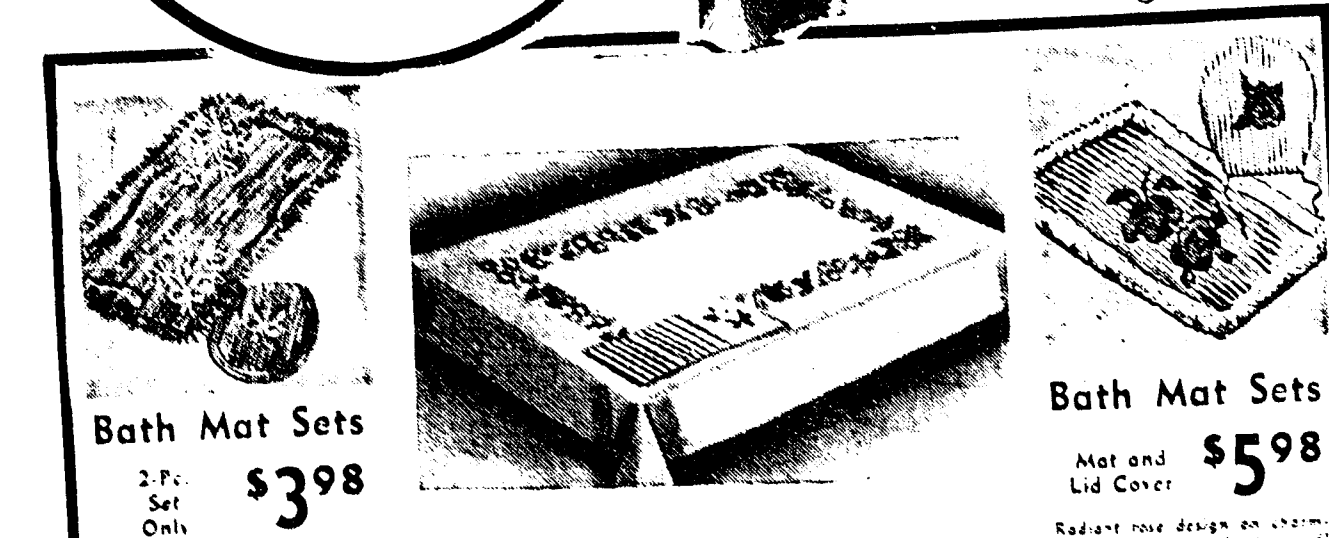
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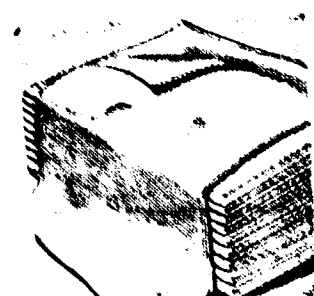
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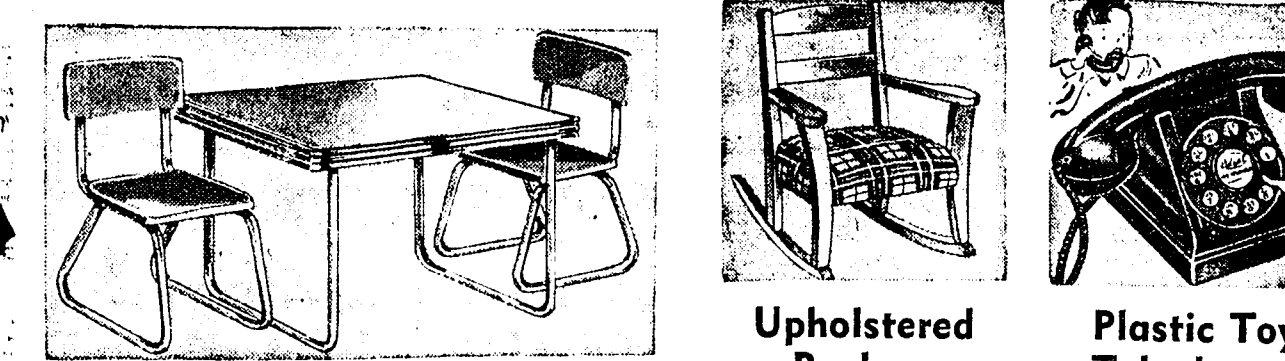
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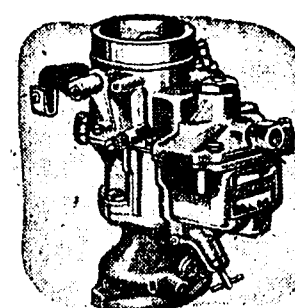
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CAPTURE OF CONVICT LEADS TO PARTIAL MYSTERY SOLUTION

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 12.—(AP)—District Attorney Edmund G. Brown said today a trans-continental hunt through at least a half dozen cities, prompted by the arrest here of a former convict, already has "established a definite pattern" in the deaths and cremations of three elderly women.

The ex-convict, Alfred Leonard Cline, is held here on a charge of suspected forgery of estate papers of one of the women.

The deaths occurred at Dallas, Portland and Jacksonville. Cline was arrested Dec. 3, on the demand of a Chicago attorney representing the estate of Mrs. Eva Daniela Krebs of Chicago. The attorney Gerald Ryan said it appeared names had been forged in the sale of her securities.

Identities Believed Switched. Cline said Mrs. Krebs died as his wife in Portland from natural causes, and was cremated. However, Captain John Engler of San Francisco police inspectors, said he was convinced the woman who died in Portland was not Mrs. Krebs, but was Mrs. Isabel Van Natta of San Francisco, elderly pensioner, whom Cline is believed to have accompanied to Oregon. At Dallas, Dr. W. E. Haley expressed conviction that a woman who died there Oct. 17, 1944, and was cremated under the name of Mrs. Alice W. Carpenter, actually was Mrs. Krebs. Will Fritz, Dallas chief of inspectors, said Dr. Haley identified a picture of Cline as the man who accompanied the woman and ordered her cremation. However, a possible link between the woman who died in Dallas and a Mrs. Sally W. Carpenter of Bloomington, Ind., developed. George I. Carpenter of Bloomington said that Mrs. Sally W. Carpenter, widow of his brother, went to Tampa, Fla., two years after his brother's death. Carpenter said a man who gave the name of Cline telephoned him from Chicago last June and told him that Mrs. Carpenter, to whom he had been married, had died in October, 1944, at Dallas.

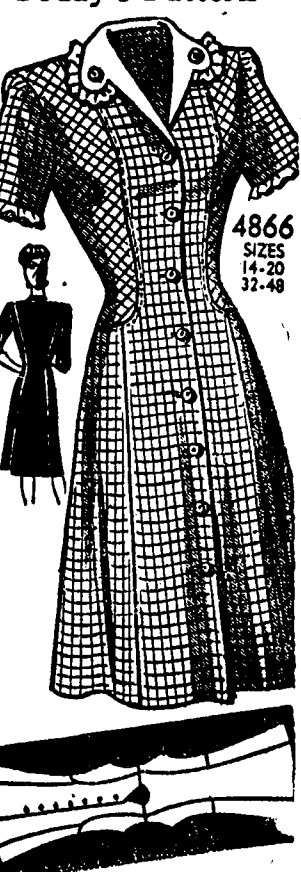
Stock Legacy Found. Carpenter said he discovered \$3,000 in stock Mrs. Carpenter had left had been transferred to Cline. Added to the complicated investigation was the death of a woman in Jacksonville, Fla., in 1943. District Attorney Brown asked Jacksonville authorities to look into the death of a woman under the name of "Elizabeth Hannah Klein." Brown said he had been informed that a man registered at a hotel there as "F. L. Klein and wife" Oct. 22 of that year and that the woman died Nov. 8 in a hotel room and was cremated.

First Baptist WMU Circles Met Monday

The Woman's Missionary Union of the First Baptist church met at the church Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Presentation of the Bible lesson and stewardship talks were features of the meetings, at which seven circles were represented. The week of prayer held each year preceding the Christmas season was concluded last Friday, with the Little Moon offerings taken going to foreign missions. The circles also took part in preparation of Christmas gifts for wounded servicemen in army and navy hospitals.

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Navarro County Fem Golfer Is Winning Professional Play

Mrs. C. F. Perkins, Navarro county product, medalist, professional, successfully defended her title as Fort Worth champion last week-end, according to information received here. The annual handicap tournament finals were held at the Rivercrest Country Club in Fort Worth.

The fem champion turned professional a couple of years ago and is attracting widespread attention through her perfect controlled drives and sensational putts. Mrs. Charles Campbell, Florida state golf champion, will meet Mrs. Perkins in the near future. It is stated Mrs. Campbell is the wife of Mr. Perkins' brother. Charles Campbell plans to enter the University of Texas next month and will enter the professional golf field later. Mrs. Perkins and Charles Campbell are children of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Campbell of the Blooming Grove Times.

State Home Lads Socked Dawson In Basketball 39-14

The State Home Lads mauled the Dawson Bulldogs by a score of 39-14 in their cage tilt played Tuesday night in the State Home gym. The Lassies, girls' team, put away their powderpuffs and overwhelmed the Dawson girls by a lopsided 55-5 score.

Curt Jones led the Lad attack with 18 points as he hit the hoops for 9 field goals. Edna Mae Lamb sparked the Lassies with 23 points. Travelling to Barry Friday to continue the swing of clubs in the District 33-B round-robin, the Lads are shaping up rapidly and will be poison to the other quintets in the county. Featuring a fast break and deadly accuracy around the basket, the Lads will concentrate on passing during the remainder of the week. The State Home passing was ragged against the Dawson five and Coach Irby will have his squad pass daisy by Friday night. Bottoms at center played a fine game, capitalizing on rebounds from the board.

SCORE BY PERIODS

Lads 11 2 8 8-39
Dawson 1 2 7 4-14

BOX SCORE

STATE HOME—
FG FT F TP
Jones, C (f)..... 7 0 0 18
Carrington (f)..... 5 2 1 12
Bottoms (c)..... 3 2 3 6
Baker (g)..... 1 1 1 3
Pillows (g)..... 0 0 1 0
Boyer (f)..... 0 0 0 0
Wheeler (f)..... 0 0 0 0
Phillips (g)..... 0 0 0 0

18 3 4 39

DAWSON

Hagle (f)..... 3 0 0 6
Adams (f)..... 2 4 2 2
Baker (c)..... 0 1 0 0
McKendle (g)..... 0 0 0 0
Meredith (g)..... 0 0 1 0
Lawrence (f)..... 1 0 1 2
Matthews..... 0 0 0 0
Spruill..... 2 0 0 4

6 2 7 14

Return Of Ceiling Prices On Citrus Fruits Opposed

By A. F. MAHAN

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—(AP)—A proposal by OPA to reinstate price ceilings on citrus fruits immediately is expected to receive rough-and-tough criticism today from three states.

Congressmen and industry representatives from Florida, Texas and California oppose a joint hearing by OPA, the department of agriculture and the office of economic stabilization.

Removal of citrus ceilings Nov. 19 already has occasioned sharp debate in the house. Rep. Elie Miller (D-Wisc) contended recently that prices had advanced 50 to 100 per cent since lifting of controls. Rep. Phillips (D-Calif) insisted this was incorrect and it would be unfair to reinstate price regulations.

Chester Bowles, OPA administrator, has announced he wants ceilings restored on oranges, grapefruit and lemons "because of price rises."

"Breath of Faith" Charged. Phillips asserted reinstatement prior to Jan. 13, original deadline set by OPA to view market fluctuations, would be "a breath of faith," and that OPA figures "usually can be checked and found inaccurate."

Rep. West (D-Texas) said some "extra fancy" citrus fruits were above ceiling prices, but that "average" grade fruit "definitely is under the ceiling." West estimated 95 per cent of the nation's 170,380,000-crate crop of grapefruit and oranges was selling at or below previous ceiling levels.

Austin Anson, manager of the Texas Vegetable Shippers and Growers, and A. L. Cramer, Elsie and Graham Killough, Weslaco, were here to join Rep. West and others from their state in opposing the OPA proposal.

Train Crash Reported.

ALBUQUERQUE, N. M., Dec. 13.—(AP)—The Santa Fe Railroad Public Relations office said today that a flagman was injured and several passengers were "shaken up" shortly before midnight last night, when the eastbound Grand Canyon Limited No. 24, crashed into the miles west of Gallup, N. M. miles west of Gallup, N. M.

A Turkey

will be given away Friday night, December 14, at the White's Chapel Community Center. Pie, cake and coffee will be served. Come, bring your table and dominoes and join in the fun.

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Floral Novelties Catch Youthful Eye



The language of flowers gaily expresses "Merry Christmas" in seasonal treatments like those shown above. Just imagine, for instance, any youngster's response to a "Candy-cane Garden" made with striped carnations and pink cornflowers. Plain white candles are wound with narrow red ribbons or tape to carry out the candy-cane theme.

Below is an arrangement that children will remember. Amusing little pine-cone owls perch on green mossy boughs, above a big red ribbon to make this one Christmas they'll never forget. At right: "Welcome-with-a-wishbone" idea for the front door decoration. The wishbone is plastic, and sprigs of pine and holly provide dark background for the bright silver bells.

AROMA OF DELUXE FRUIT CAKE BAKING HARBINGER CHRISTMAS TIME APPROACHING CORSICANA

By KATHERYNN PATE

When the aroma of the good fruit cake stirred up at Tom McElwee's bakery begins floating up Main and down Beaton, Corsicana can be pretty certain that Christmas is at hand.

Christmas and the De Luxe White Fruit Cake made at the Collins Street Bakery are synonymous to a lot of people everywhere.

Stock brokers in Can Francisco, steel magnates in Bethlehem, bankers in New York, "numbers" in the big pen, housewives in the Middle West and mill workers in the Deep South will be eating fruit cake made in Corsicana on Christmas Day. There was a time, too, before the war, that the cake went all over the world, to Japan, to England, to Germany, to France, everywhere that the mails went.

Supreme Compliment. Perhaps reluctantly, but unceremoniously nevertheless, one chap in England admitted in a letter to Baker McElwee that De Luxe fruit cake was even better than English pudding. That, to him, was the supreme compliment.

This year is one of the biggest in the history of the bakery. The ovens are just now cooking off from baking more than 100,000 pounds of the cake and the entire production has been sold. Letters, telephone calls and wires from busy executives all over the United States come each day, asking for Christmas delivery of hundreds of cakes. These must be turned down.

Every major city in the United States, and a lot of the minor ones will receive its share of the fruit cake. Many orders are received from large concerns for more than 2,000 of the three-pound cakes to be mailed to customers, employees and friends.

Affable Tom McElwee takes all this in his easy-going stride. During the cake baking season, he sequesters himself with his loyal staff in the bakery building and is seen no more in his usual circles until each cake has been packaged, boxed, addressed and mailed.

In this industry, certainly Corsicana's most unique, the postage alone is a big item. Because, even though the De Luxe fruit cake has won honor at home as well as abroad, a great majority of it is shipped away. Postage, runs well past the \$4,700 mark.

Ingredients Listed. And into the big mixing bowls in the bakery went enormous amounts of ingredients this year: 18,000 pounds of pecans, 14,000 pounds of cherries, 4,800 pounds of creamery butter, 6,500 pounds of pineapple, 5,500 pounds of citron, 3,000 pounds of cotton blossom honey, 2,000 pounds of almonds.

What is the exact recipe for De Luxe White Fruit Cake? With a twinkle in his eye, Baker McElwee says "I dreamed it up one night."

That was Mr. McElwee's most pleasant dream.

A change of residence has taken Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pryor to Blooming Grove to make their future home.

Christmas Hazards Discussed By Fire Chief H. P. Bivins

Lighted candles should not be used on Christmas trees or in windows, warns Fire Chief H. P. Bivins.

"Most people bring a number of special hazards into their homes for the holidays, such as inflammable decorations, Christmas trees, and gifts from which they will remove quantities of tissue paper and wrappings," Chief Bivins said. "It is important to avoid the use of lighted candles and for smokers to be especially careful—they will be wise to stay across the room from all such hazards."

Use Fire Realistic

"If you are unable to purchase safe decorations," states the chief, "materials can be made partially fire-resistant by spraying them with a solution containing nine ounces of borax and four ounces of boric acid to one gallon of water. The fabric to be treated should be well saturated with the solution, drained and hung up to dry. Application by stepping in a warm solution is preferable, but dipping, brushing and spraying also can be used."

Chief Bivins offers the following safety rules to be observed during the holidays:

Safety Rules

1. Set up the Christmas tree away from heating and lighting fixtures and anchor it securely. Discard all evergreens promptly after Christmas.

2. Use non-burning ornaments, and decorations that have been treated to make them fire resistant.

3. Avoid all use of lighted candles. Use miniature lights that are identified as safe by the label of Underwriters' Laboratories or the wires or by carbon markings.

4. Dispose of tissue paper and wrappings from gifts immediately. Accumulations of papers are dangerous.

5. Smokers should be especially careful and stay across the room

Two Grandchildren Born Same Day For Former Corsicanan

Lieut. and Mrs. Bill McGlothlin of Corpus Christi announce the arrival of a son, William Christopher, on Monday, December 4th. Maternal grandparents of the new arrival are Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Kessinger of Venezuela, and the paternal grandparents are Mrs. W. C. McGlothlin of Dallas, formerly of Corsicana.

Lieut. McGlothlin is stated in Kansas.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hamilton of Dallas announce the arrival of a daughter, Carol Pennington, on Monday, December 4th. Maternal grandparent of the new arrival is Mrs. W. C. McGlothlin of Dallas, and paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Hamilton of Wichita Falls.

from the tree, special decorations, costumes and gift papers.

6. Avoid giving dangerous toys, such as those requiring alcohol, kerosene or gasoline for motive power, to young children. Also, adults should supervise running of electric toys if children are young.

7. Keep a pail of water handy for emergencies, but call the fire department without delay if you can't extinguish a small fire immediately.

Mrs. Edward M. Polk is a medical patient at the Corsicana Hospital and Clinic.

Only 16 Counties In Texas Top "E" Bond Drive Quota

By The Associated Press. "Sales are far below expectations," Nathan Adams, Texas chairman of the Victory Loan drive reported at Dallas. He said that 16 counties have topped their E-bond quotas, but that 238 have not.

The 16 counties which have met their quotas, as listed by the state war finance committee, are: Hudspeth, Irlon, Denton, Sutton, Sterling, Clay, Willacy, Winkler, Brooks, Menard, Hamilton, Schleicher, Concho, Howard, Motley and Starr.

Arrival Of Son Is Announced

RM 2c and Mrs. Emory L. Burden announce the arrival of a son, Joe Burl, at P. and S. Hospital on December 12.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Burling Butler, and paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Burden of Tyler.

The Men's Bible Class of First Christian church will meet in banquet session at the church tonight at 7 o'clock.

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REGIONAL CHAMPS OF CLASS 'B' SCHOOLBOY FOOTBALL COMING UP

By The Associated Press.
Regional champions of Class B schoolboy football will be determined Friday and with the naming of these 10 finalists, the season will be over for this division of the Texas Interscholastic League. Here are the pairings:

Region 1—Wellington at Phillips.
Region 2—Littlefield at Monahans.
Region 3—Anson at Ballinger.
Region 4—Grand Prairie at Nocona.
Region 5—Edgewood at Ct. Vernon.
Region 6—New London at Huntsville (night).
Region 7—Pasadena at Nederland (night).
Region 8—Taylor already champion.
Region 9—Harlandale (San Antonio) at Brenham (night).
Region 10—Hondo vs Weslaco at Corpus Christi (night).
Wellington reached the Region 1 finals by beating Floydada 33-6 while Phillips got there by edging out Hereford on penetrations in a 14-14 tie.

Littlefield is winner.
Littlefield defeated Denver City 25-5 and Monahans won over Roscoe 15-5 to go to the Region 2 finals.

Ballinger crushed Dublin 52-7 and Anson beat out Crowell 19-13 in Region 3.

Nocona downed Handley 12-6 and Grand Prairie trimmed Boys City 25-0 in Region 4.

Edgewood won over Commerce 15-0 and Ct. Vernon beat Atlanta 33-14 in Region 5.

New London won over White Oak (Longview) 25-7 and Huntsville downed Jasper 14-0 in Region 6.

Nederland swamped Liberty. Nederland ran over Liberty 66-0.

Barry Man Weds Texas City Girl

Miss Jackie Weaver, daughter of George F. Weaver of Texas City, and Carroll Boswell, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Boswell of Barry, were united in marriage at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Bruce Watson, in Waco on Wednesday evening December 13th at 6 o'clock. Rev. A. J. Holt, pastor of Calvary Baptist church, officiated at the double-ring ceremony. Vows were said before an improvised altar decorated with large bowls of white chrysanthemums.

The bride wore a cinnamon brown suit with shell pink blouse and brown accessories. Her corsage was a single orchid. Miss Billie Jo Russell of Barry, her only attendant, wore a moss green suit with Tulleman rose corsage. Lowell Reed of Barry was best man. Mrs. Boswell was graduated from Barry High School after which she attended Hillsboro Junior College, later taking a business course. Mr. Boswell, also a graduate of Barry High School attended A. and M. College. He then entered the United States army air force, serving with the 9th air force in the European Theater of Operations for one year. He recently received his honorable discharge.

Announce Daughter's Birth.
Mr. and Mrs. Erney Austin of Beaumont announce the birth of a daughter, Judith Ann, Tuesday at St. Theresa Hospital there. Mrs. Austin is the former Frances Toome of Corsicana. The baby weighed nine pounds, nine ounces.

and Pasadena trimmed Webster 20-6 in Region 7.

Mexia defeated Gatesville 38-7 and Taylor licked Lampasas 33-7 to reach the Region 8 finals where Taylor won 18-5.

Brenham downed El Campo 20-7 and Harlandale beat San Marcos 12-0 to go to the Region 9 finals.

Hondo defeated Kansas City 38-0 and Weslaco beat Sinton 32-6 to advance in Region 10.

Influenza Epidemic Rages In County, Health Officer Says

An epidemic of flu throughout the county is reported by Dr. Will Miller, county health officer. "Reports of 20 or 30 new cases reach my office every day," he said. "It is especially prevalent in the schools, and some rooms most heavily affected have been closed."

Dr. Miller urges adults as well as children to stay warm, comfortable and dry.

School Absences Increase.
In answer to queries Wednesday, W. H. Norwood, superintendent of the city schools said that illness in students caused a slight increase in absences early in the week, but the peak appears to be passed today with more students reporting back to the classrooms.

In the Junior High school absences reached more than twice the normal amount, however, Gaston C. Gooch announced Wednesday that the number seems to be on a decline.

Norwood stated that the number of students absent was over the normal percentage, however, the situation had not reached an alarming stage as yet, and with the return to a normal amount, the health situation is greatly improved.

School officials have watched the tendency closely with the number of schools over the state closing because of flu epidemics.

Mr. and Mrs. Hays Parents Of Son

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. R. Hays announce the arrival of a son, Wm. R. Hays, Jr., at the Navarro Clinic on Tuesday morning at 11:30 o'clock.

The maternal grandparents of the new arrival are Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rawlinson of this city, and the paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Roy T. Hays of Abilene. Mr. Hays is a member of the Junior High faculty, having recently been employed as football coach.

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5 to 6 cups sliced pared or unpared apples (about 6 tart, firm apples)

1 cup sifted GOLD MEDAL "Kitchen-tested" Enriched Flour

Mix together with fork until crumbly and sprinkle over the apples.....

1/2 to 1 cup sugar (depending on tartness of apples and sweetness desired)

1 tsp. baking powder

3/4 tsp. salt

1 unbeaten egg

1/2 cup melted and cooled shortening

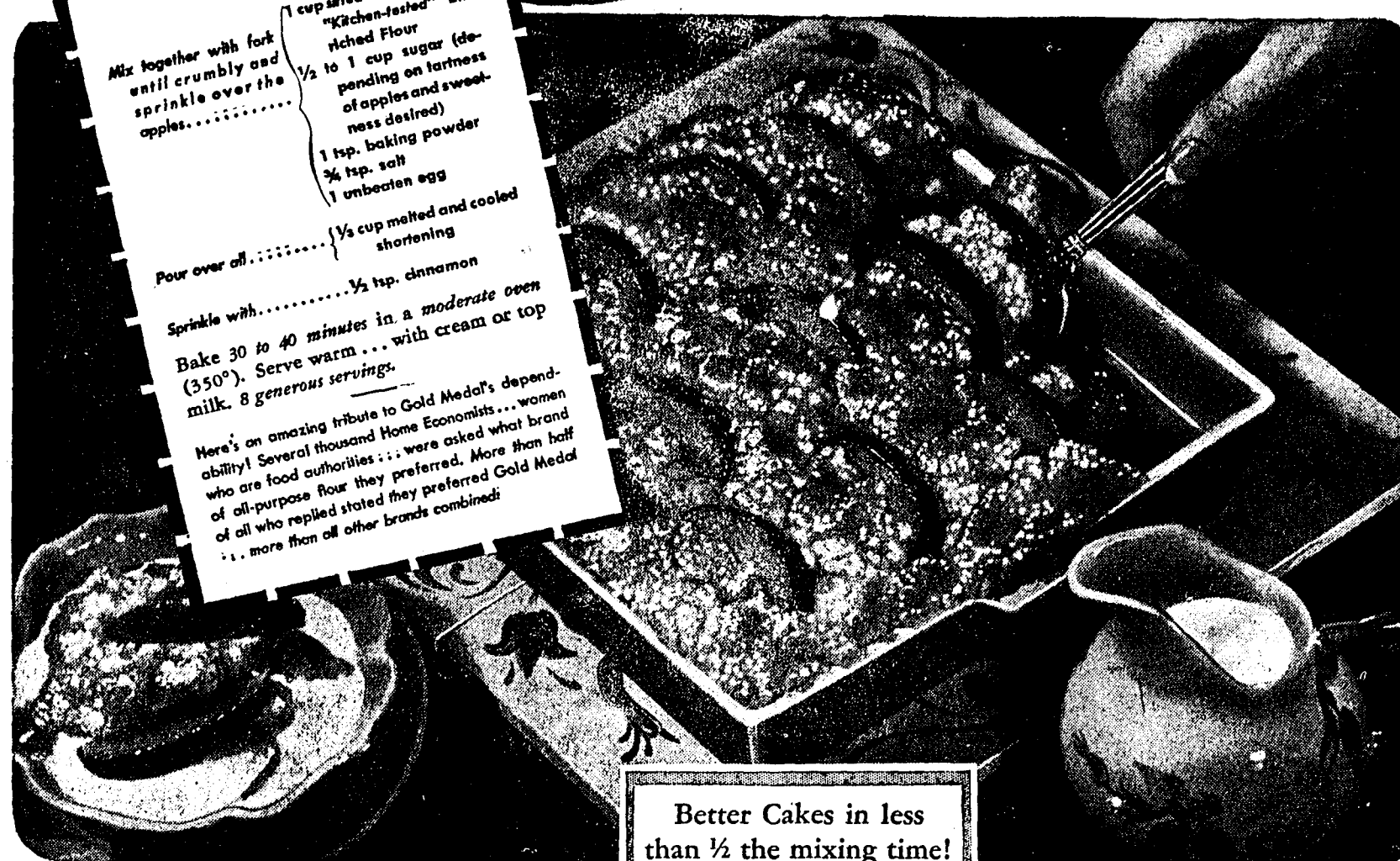
Sprinkle with..... 1/2 tsp. cinnamon

Bake 30 to 40 minutes in a moderate oven (350°). Serve warm... with cream or top milk. 8 generous servings.

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1. Use a fork to mix the dry ingredients together with the unbeaten egg. Mix just until the mixture is crumbly. Do not try to mash the ingredients together into a doughy mass.

2. Do not peel apples—or you'll lose valuable vitamins and minerals found in or next to the skin. Red peelings also add eye appeal. Wash apples, of course.

Macaroni-Tomato-Cheese Casserole
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FUNDS REALLOCATED
TOTTALLING \$187,500
FOR CONSTRUCTION

CITY, COUNTY MUST
PROVIDE SITE AND
UTILITY SERVICES

Reallocation of \$187,500 to Corsicana for the construction of an armory was announced Wednesday morning by Lt. Col. Joe Daniel, commanding officer of the 37th Battalion, TSTC, at a meeting of interested citizens in the chamber of commerce offices.

The appropriation previously was made to Corsicana before the war, but was withdrawn pending cessation of hostilities. Daniel said the new armory would have made the money available again.

To receive the sum, the city and county must provide in acres of land, with water, electricity and sewer connections, and must provide police and fire protection.

Col. O. H. Bryant of the Adjutant General's office, Austin, met with the group in the interest of reactivation of the National Guard.

In addition to the armory, Col. Daniel said Corsicana was to be the headquarters for an artillery regiment, and that five regular army instructors would be located here.

"This is the only battalion in this section of Texas which passed recent Federal inspections," he pointed out.

The only stumbling stone in the path of receiving the allocation and acquiring the artillery regiment will be failure to keep up enlisted strength in the local company A.

Col. Daniel asserted, "Forty men must enlist in Corsicana within the next two or three months before the company is at full strength."

Mr. Festus Pierce also spoke briefly, and urged cooperation from local citizens in the military program.

An intensified recruiting drive is planned soon to enlist men for Company A. Service clubs of the city will be asked to give their support to the campaign.

Recruiting Service
Promotions Received

Promotion of three men in the local U. S. Army Recruiting Service office was announced Wednesday by Capt. W. W. Hogwood, commanding officer, as follows:

Sgt. Harold Albright to staff sergeant; Cpl. George Henderson to sergeant; Pfc. John Coyne to corporal.

"These men were advanced in rank because of the fine job they have been doing in the recruiting service in Corsicana," Captain Hogwood said.

Sgt. Lester Pendleton, veteran of many Pacific campaigns, including Guadalcanal and Saipan, has reenlisted after 10 years in the Army. He is assigned to the recruiting service here.

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Child Guidance Is
Subject Of Junior
High PTA Speaker

"Child Guidance," with emphasis on "How to Say No," was the topic discussed by Don Winslow, local Boy Scout executive, before the Junior High school Parent-Teacher Association meeting in the school library at 3:15 Tuesday afternoon.

Winslow explained the various phases of child guidance, quoting from Dr. H. W. Hurt, Boy Scout of America executive, who has pointed out that "guidance is a nice word for control."

His discussion included points on the purpose of the parent or teacher in administering child guidance, the nature of the child, necessity of self-discipline of the one who offers the child guidance, and the importance of the outcome of guidance efforts.

"The ultimate purpose of a guidance program in the home or school is to bring the child to self-guidance to guide for the future manhood or womanhood," he stated, adding that the exercise of self-discipline and is likely to select the things which satisfy him. Nature is such that we face severe limitations, the speaker pointed out, and the child necessarily accepts or rejects these.

Speaking of the importance of happy relationships in the life of the child, the Scout executive said that the child's world is a happy world and that usually those things which are not accepted by the child are not built into their lives. The child responds to other personalities, learns to co-operate, and loves approval of others.

Winslow explained, "He imitates what he admires, enjoys encouragement, and when he feels a purpose for himself doesn't like to be frustrated. Those who seek to guide the child need a driving force, he asserted, and when the child's plan is frustrated another course should be proposed. Failure to receive the proper guidance at this point is likely to make the child give up too easily in later life."

He cited good health as a major contributor to the child's personality, and said that morale can make or break the child. A child expects respect for his personality, Winslow told his audience of parents and teachers, and is entitled to expectance of the things included in a good home.

Mrs. W. P. Brown was program chairman for the day, and presented the speaker, Mrs. Jess Hilbert, who opened the meeting with a reading of the "Objects of PTA," and presided during the brief business session which followed the program.

The group joined in singing Christmas carols during a brief period preceding the program and the meeting was concluded by singing another group of Christmas songs.

Go To Louisiana.
City Engineer Fred Blucher and Mayor John C. Calhoun left Tuesday morning for Alexandria, La., where they will inspect Army trucks with the view of buying them for the city.

UNITED NATIONS
KEY TO PEACE IN
EUROPEAN SECTION

By GROVER HEIMAN
Daily Sun Staff.

"The one key to peace in Europe is the U.N.O. The real issue in Europe is not the Ruhr, but the workability of the United Nations Organization," said Dr. Kenneth Pope, guest speaker at the First Methodist Church Men's Dinner Club Tuesday night before approximately 200 members and guests.

The speaker at the inaugural dinner of the newly formed club is pastor of the First Methodist Church in Austin and toured Europe as representative of the church. He stated that churches are needed in Europe and that all churches of all creeds are standing by heroically in Europe today. He further asserted that the only thing that Europe has today is religion.

Referring to the Allied military government he said: "Military government is concerned with the cool, objective job of establishing peace in Europe. It is doing a splendid job in trying to govern Germany for peace and order in Europe."

Dr. Pope recounted his preparations and airplane trip across the Atlantic, interspersing humorous comments in laying the groundwork for his discussion of Europe today. He told of the hardships that the people of Europe are suffering and will suffer this winter.

"If we allow humanity in Europe to freeze and starve this winter, the people of Europe will compare us with the Nazis who because of warped racial ideologies murdered and allowed them to freeze and starve."

Describing the conditions at the horror camps in Germany, he said they were indescribable. He further declared that the people look for a benevolent America and that if we don't take this golden opportunity, the people would surely look upon us the same as they did upon their cruel Nazi overlords.

"We are in danger of losing Europe's love, loyalty and friendship. The present clothing drive is to aid those people. Anything will help a pair of old shoes or anything that will keep a little child warm and living."

Praised UNRRA.
He spoke glowingly of the work of UNRRA and said that the organization was the one hope for the displaced people of Europe who are looking back to their homes. Despite all the criticism that has been leveled at it, the relief job has done a magnificent job.

"Germany today is the biggest problem facing the peacemakers. Efforts are being made," he said, "to deindustrialize Germany and make it an agricultural state, but Germany is already over agriculturalized and the plan will lead to an unbalanced economy in Europe as well as in Germany."

Dr. Pope recounted the sad condition of prostrate France and stated that such a France was our doing since we had asked France to accept occupation until help could come.

Children Will Suffer.
"The children of Europe are not our enemies and they are the ones who will suffer. I saw children in France who were undernourished and suffering from rickets, yet they played and laughed. We can't forget those children."

France is undergoing turmoil and changes due to the overabundance of political parties, he said. With parties to divide the population, France as well as the rest of Europe has boiled down to a battle between the communist and the socialist.

"If communism addresses itself to the common needs of the people, then people will embrace communism. If we do not address ourselves to the common needs of the people then there is danger that communism will supplant our form of government. I am not endorsing communism, but I do say that the moment is critical and we must understand the people of Europe as well as in France."

Bohmfalk Presided.
Rev. Erwin F. Bohmfalk, pastor of the church served as the master of ceremonies for the evening. He traced the organization of the Men's Dinner club and praised the group and the culmination of effort in the first dinner.

Rev. Mr. Bohmfalk led the group in four songs "Vive le Compagnie," "Silent Night," "Amen," and "We Are Climbing Jacob's Ladder." Further musical selections were rendered by Mrs. Isabelle Melton with Miss Jane Manton as accompanist. Mrs. Melton brought "Birthday of Our King" and "British Children's Prayer for Peace."

Temporary Officers.
Announced as temporary officers of the new club were: R. H. Doakes, chairman; Tom George, vice chairman; Alton Justiss, treasurer. Representatives from the Board of Stewards to serve with the new group were announced as Tom Eady, Charles Banister, and M. H. Statham.

Present with a number of out of town guests were Rev. W. R. Beard of the Eleventh Avenue Methodist church and Rev. W. A. Greenwald of the Central Methodist church.

An invitation was given all present to become charter members of the new club. Rev. Mr. Bohmfalk paid tribute to the Woman's Society of Christian Service for the preparation and serving of the dinner.

Precinct 4 Road
And Bridge Budget
Is Supplemented

Supplementing of the road and bridge fund of Navarro county to pay \$4,000 in outstanding claims for Precinct 4, Drew Gillen, commissioner, was voted by the Navarro county commissioners' court at its regular meeting late Monday afternoon. It was stated.

Commissioners Drew Gillen of Blomington, Fred M. Copeland of Pearsley and I. M. Seale of Kerens voted for the measure with Commissioner Jack Megar of Corsicana voting against the supplement.

Commissioner Gillen's budget had been exhausted, it was pointed out.

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AMERICAN LEGION
MEMBERSHIP BASED
WARTIME SERVICE

"The American Legion has grown into the largest veterans' organization in this country's and perhaps any country's history," according to W. H. Smith, adjutant of the local American Legion Post No. 22.

The Legion now numbers more than 1,000,000 fighting men and women of World Wars I and II, more than 500,000 of them veterans of this war, he said.

"Yet, large as it is, it is a most exclusive organization," he pointed out. "Neither money nor influence can buy a membership. The doors of 13,000 posts open only upon the presentation of an honorable discharge from wartime service. The Legion has no honorary membership."

Membership in the Legion is a recognition of individual investment in the future of the nation, and of individual sacrifice in defense of our country," the adjutant declared.

Another \$50,000
Allocation Marked
For Navarro Drive

Another big allocation to Navarro County in the Victory Loan drive was announced Tuesday morning by Joe E. Butler, county war finance chairman.

The Rock Island Lines has bought \$50,000 in government securities and allocated this amount to Navarro County, he said.

With its overall quota in Navarro County already well over the top, the Victory Loan drive will continue through December. The E Bond quota still has not been met, and Butler is pushing the sale of these during the remainder of the month.

"The Legion button stands for the bearer's contribution in toil and sweat in drill and fatigue, in undergirding willingly danger of death, in perhaps spilling his own blood on a battlefield, all in the cause of the nation's freedom."

S-SGT. PAGE PAYNE
KILLED IN ACTION
IN NEW BRITAIN

Staff Sergeant Pace Payne, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Payne, Route 5, Corsicana, was killed in action in New Britain more than two years ago, his mother was informed by the war department this week.

He had previously been reported missing in action, but his death has been established, the war department message said. It gave the date of his death as June 20, 1943.

Parents of Daughter.
Ruth Lee is the name chosen for the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Gracey, born Sunday morning at the Florence Nightingale Hospital in Dallas. Both mother and daughter are reported doing nicely. Mr. Gracey is the recently appointed assistant county agent for Navarro county, and his wife and young daughter plan to join him here in the near future.

Chicken Snake Ate
Doorknob For Egg;
Result Was Fatal

A Black Hills chicken snake made an error several weeks ago by swallowing what he apparently believed was an egg.

The skeleton of the late reptile with a large white doorknob, including almost an inch iron handle, was found on the farm occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Louis Rackley, who exhibited the skeleton and doorknob in Corsicana Wednesday.

The doorknob was used in a nest about three feet off the ground. Mrs. Rackley stated, and was missed a month ago. The reptile's remains were found among some farm implements about 50 yards from where he swallowed the knob Tuesday where the snake may have gone in a futile effort to break the knob.

"The doorknob fooled the hens and the snake, too," Mrs. Rackley stated.

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NAVARRO COUNTY BAPTIST WMU MET AT PETTY'S CHAPEL

"SOME GREAT WOMEN OF THE BIBLE" WAS DISCUSSION TOPIC

Seven churches were represented at the regular quarterly meeting of the Navarro County Baptist Women's Missionary Union held recently at the Petty's Chapel Baptist church.

"Some Great Women of the Bible" was the topic for discussion, with the following characters represented: "Deborah, a Woman Leader," Judges 4-5, by Miss Lillith Boltz of Rice; "Esther, an Intercessor," Esther 3:1-7, by Mrs. Willard Stagg, Pleasant Grove; "Her Price is Far Above Rubies," was the sermon topic chosen by Rev. T. R. Vaughn, of

Pleasant Grove, who gave the 11 o'clock message, using Prov. 31-10 as his text.

An offering for state missions was taken at the 11 o'clock service.

Lunch at Noon.

A bountiful lunch was served during the noon hour, followed by a brief business session. Mrs. E. Nunn of Rice, offered her resignation as secretary to the Union, and Mrs. D. M. Wyatt of Corsicana was elected to fill the office following acceptance of Mrs. Nunn's resignation. Mrs. Hubert Farmer of Corsicana was elected assistant secretary.

During the afternoon, the program was continued with Mrs. L. R. Low of Blooming Grove presenting, "Ruth, an Example of Loyalty," Ruth 1. "Mary, an Example of Adoration," was given by Mrs. J. D. Kent of Corsicana, who based her discussion on Luke 7:37-48, and Mark 14:3-9.

"Elizabeth, the Mother of John the Baptist," was the topic presented by Mrs. O. S. Rich of Black Hills, with the Scripture readings from Luke 1:5-25.

The Farview church was not represented in attendance, and the part assigned to that church

SCOUTERS TRAINING COURSE SESSIONS TO END THURSDAY

OVERNIGHT HIKE TO BAUM'S LODGE SCHEDULED FRIDAY

Corsicana district Scouters will hold the sixth and final indoor training course Thursday at 7:30 p. m. in the Educational Building of the First Methodist church with C. O. Ferguson as scoutmaster.

Subjects under discussion at the meeting will be "Camping and Hiking Program for the Troop" led by Harvey Price, executive in charge of camping activities for Circle 10 council, and "Importance of a Well Uniformed Troop" by the Rev. Erwin F. Bohm, pastor of the First Methodist church.

The training course consists of six indoor meetings and will be completed with an overnight hike. Gaston C. Gooch, chairman of the training course, predicted that twelve adult leaders would be presented certificates for completion of the course after the camp.

The overnight camp is scheduled to be made Friday beginning at 5:00 p. m., and the campsite will be at George Baums lodge north of Corsicana.

District Council Meet

The district council will hold its annual meeting and celebration at 7:30 p. m. with a dinner in the High School cafeteria on Dec. 19.

All parents and persons interested in scouting are cordially invited to attend. Each guest will bring a picnic lunch and coffee will be served.

Feature of the evening will be a speech by Homer P. Vanderpool, representative from the western district of Circle 10. A well known Scout, Vanderpool is a Dallas resident and active in scouting in that city.

The annual election of officers for the council will be held, and the reports of the retiring officers will be heard.

Scout troops will be in charge of the opening and closing ceremonies. Moyné Kelly is chairman of the annual meeting.

was given by Mrs. W. W. Wilbanks of Fellowship Baptist church of Corsicana, who discussed "Mary, the Mother of Jesus," using Luke 1:26-35, 46-56, Luke 2:8-11, and John 19:25-27 as the Scripture basis.

New Members Elected.

In consideration of a request from the WMU of the Fellowship Baptist church, a recently organized church in Corsicana, a motion was made and carried to accept that organization into the county union.

Following reading of minutes of the last meeting, reports from all auxiliaries were read. The Black Hills WMU was awarded the banner for the largest attendance.

A rising vote of thanks was extended to the Petty's Chapel Baptist church for hospitality and courtesies shown, and announcement made that the next quarterly meeting will be with the First Baptist church on the fourth Tuesday in March. Mrs. T. R. Vaughn, Pleasant Grove, who is vice president of the union, presided in absence of the president.

Rites Thursday For Mrs. A. P. Humphrey

Funeral services were held in Dallas Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock for Mrs. A. P. Humphrey, aged 73 years, former Corsicana resident. Mrs. Humphrey died Wednesday at a Dallas hospital after a brief illness.

Surviving are three daughters, Mrs. Lillian Dexter and Mrs. Carl Patterson, both of Dallas, and Mrs. Joquim Elizondo, Los Angeles, Calif., two sons, J. A. and Layton A. Humphrey, both of Dallas, and a grandson.

Corporation Court.

Police are searching for a man who gave a hot check to Harris and Jacobs Saturday night in payment for a \$15 tan leather jacket.

Local officers have been alerted to be on the lookout for Lester Wayne Nelson, wanted throughout the state for hijacking. He is a heavily armed and thought to be driving a 1942 maroon Buick.

Three men were arrested as a local coffee shop for intoxication and placed in jail.

Officers answered a call to the 1600 block of Cherry avenue, where a man was said to be breaking into a house.

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HAL BOYLES' COLUMN

TSINGTAO, China, Dec. 13.—(AP)—Confucius once said "One look is worth a thousand words."

Several thousand marines, accepting this statement verbatim, had a good long "look" at this ancient sage's home province and now they're almost unanimous that they don't want to waste words about getting out of here.

It is the only subject I ever knew more than two marines to agree upon.

TSINGTAO is one of the chief ports of Shantung peninsula in North-east China and is important as a rail terminus, textile manufacturing center and coal shipping point.

Confucius lived in Shantung province more happily than do American marines, and still residing here are the 77th generation of his descendants.

The old philosopher might like to know that his sacred mountain, Tai Shan, is still 5,056 feet tall and no rivals have appeared upon the landscape.

The city has a population of well over 500,000, and a visitor gets the impression well over half of the citizens are engaged in peddling souvenir bric-a-brac and garments of "genuine silk rayon"—whatever that means—at prices that make Shanghai merchants look like philantropists.

I talked here to two navy pharmacist mates who also served with the marines on Okinawa. They emphasized repeatedly how much the marines dislike their present position in China.

Marines Best Fighters.

"I know the marines would belly-ache 24 hours a day, even if they were on a 40-hour week," said Frank McCormick of Rutherford, N. J., "but they're the best fighting outfit in the world."

"Only the main thing is this—they all want to know just what the hell we are doing over here. The only American property we have to protect is our own equipment."

His buddy, Bill Edward Martin of Richmond Hill, N. Y., said some of the men were considerably annoyed also because whoever sent them 2,000 kerosene stoves to keep them warm neglected to send the wicks.

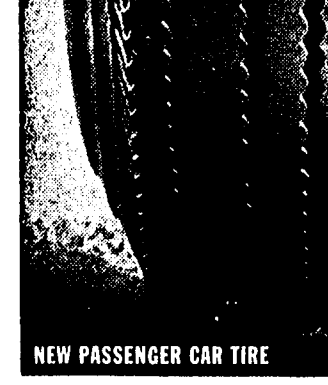
"And we are so short of shoes," Martin said, "that you have to get a doctor's certificate now to get a pair. I'm not joking."

He wasn't either. He had to get a doctor's certificate himself.

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The new tire has had more than 2,000 laboratory tests. Taxicab fleets, state police departments and the B. F. Goodrich test fleet have run it 16,800,000 test miles. Not only does it give longer tread wear than prewar tires, but it has more resistance to bruising or damage from accident.

A new, slightly different shaped tread—less of the "road level" tread—is another feature that means longer wear. Engineers had wished for years to make a tread just slightly

flatter. But that more desirable shape always set up strains in the tire body, or "carcass," as it is called. B. F. Goodrich developed an entirely new and stronger cotton cord, designed it into a 35% stronger carcass that stands all these strains and permits the use of the new flatter, longer-wearing tread.

The tread design is new. It is made up of hundreds of skid-resisting curves for quicker stops, safer starts—safer driving.

In a few weeks these new tires will begin to be produced in large volume, but supplies may be limited for quite a while. We have placed our order, and hope to have our shipment shortly. Watch for our announcement. And in the meantime, take good care of the tires you have—make them last until you can replace them with these new, better B. F. Goodrich Silverstones.

Redeployment Of Veterans Abroad Continues Apace

(By The Associated Press.)

More than 25,500 servicemen are scheduled to arrive today at East and West coast ports aboard at least 42 troop-carrying vessels. Ships and units arriving.

At New York.

Samuel Ashe from Marseilles, 200th field artillery battalion. Charles Aycock from Le Havre, 450th bomb squadron of 450th bomb group; 758th field artillery battalion; 170th general hospital.

Borinquen from Marseilles. Following elements of 79th division: companies G, H, L, M, ordnance and headquarters and headquarters detachment; headquarters and headquarters company; 314th infantry regiment; headquarters and headquarters battery, and 79th signal company.

John Howland from Le Havre, 280th ordnance maintenance company; anti-aircraft; headquarters and headquarters battery, 47th anti-aircraft artillery brigade; 312th ordnance rebuild company.

Miscellaneous troops on following—Thomas Kearns from Antwerp, USS Newark from Iceland. Le Grand Victory from Le Havre, John C. Breckenridge from Marseilles, Will Rogers from Liverpool.

At Newport News.

Jonathan Grout from Marseilles, 10th field artillery battalion. Booker T. Washington from Marseilles, 193rd, 416th and 570th port companies.

Joseph Hollister from Marseilles, Rear detachment 27th evacuation hospital; service company, companies G and H, 314th infantry regiment.

FMS Hunter from Southampton, 159th engineer utility detachment; 557th anti-aircraft artillery automatic weapons battalion.

FMS Salter from Southampton, 503rd engineer light pontoon company; 523rd air force band; 1600th engineer utility detachment, William Halstead from Naples.

At Boston.

Wesley Victor from Marseilles, 284th field artillery battalion with medical attendants, headquarters detachment 548th field artillery battalion with medical attendants; 538th field artillery battalion with medical attendants; headquarters and headquarters detachment 314th ordnance battalion with medical attendants; 3188th quartermaster service company.

Howard A. Kelly from Le Havre, 3627th quartermaster truck company, 468th ordnance evacuation

company; 319th ordnance depot company.

Vassar Victory from Le Havre, 448th quartermaster truck company; 453rd bomb squadron; 92nd quartermaster service company; 197th engineer dump truck company; 713th military police battalion.

Smith Thompson from Antwerp. **At Los Angeles.**

Miscellaneous service personnel on following: Knapp from Pearl Harbor, Azalea City from Salpan, Kershaw from Manila, Biddle from Hollandia, Wild Hunter.

At San Diego, Calif.

Miscellaneous service personnel on following ships from Pearl Harbor—Destroyer transport Barber, Destroyer transport Kane, Destroyer transport eszett, LST 1107.

At Seattle, Wash.

Miscellaneous service personnel on following Baranoff from Alaska, Rockbridge from Manila, Columbus from Alaska.

At San Francisco.

Miscellaneous service personnel on following—Lowlands from Manila, Thetis Bay from Pearl Harbor, Rescue from Pearl Harbor, Maria San Ford from Manila, Prairie from Japan, Manukai, Westlind Victory, Lindenwood, Mokihana, Makiki.

At Portland, Ore.

Cape Bon from Leyte.

Mayor, City Engineer View Army Equipment

Mayor John C. Cathoun and City Engineer Fred Blucher returned Wednesday from a business trip to Alexandria, Va. They inspected engineering equipment and trucks at Camp Livingston, Camp Polk and Camp Claiborne. The equipment goes on sale December 18.

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Vocational Banquet

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Confront the Challenge of Jesus, as the
Transformer of Life -- Mother Mary's Part

By WILLIAM T. ELLIS and
EARL L. DOUGLASS

These times call for minds brave
enough to think through to the
root of things. Our great danger
is half-way thinking. Most of us
stop short of an ultimate conclu-
sion. We accept some authority
the United Nations Organization,
the atomic bomb, universal mili-
tary training, or international
treaties as the cure-all for the
dire ills of world society.

Whence, the truth that must
ultimately grip the brain cells of
every mortal who is capable of
any real thinking which means
the average man and woman--is
that only a new spirit, a new pow-
er and a new leader can really
save civilization in this emergen-
cy. No diplomatic or political or
economic machinery can do it.

We long for pills which will give
us relief, what we need is prin-
ciples in adherence to which we
shall find life.

If we really think the situation
through we are forced to the con-
clusion that only the spirit and
power of Jesus, with His Kingdom
of Heaven on earth conception of
human society, is adequate. We
simply must, if only as a measure
of self-preservation, go back to
Jesus and His forward world.

On being "Practical"
Does this sound like "pious
talk"? If so, I am sorry; for it is
the most practical conclusion to
which I can come as a newspaper
man who has spent a lifetime in
dealing with reality. I have
studied on the ground political pol-
itics all over the world. I have
weighed the confessed hopeles-
ness of science to deal with moral
issues, and the major motives of
life. Mechanical advances have
not increased the spiritual capabil-
ities of men. As I have observed
politics, from absolute monarchies
to the excesses of Russia, have
not found anything tending to bet-
ter character or a more peaceful
and successful government. In-
stead, there has been a universal
world slump in idealism. In litera-
ture and in human relations.

Only the figure of Jesus, stand-
ing serene above the passions of
men, like the great statue of "The
Christ of the Andes," holds prom-
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muddled and mangled world. His
"Come unto Me" is the one invita-
tion which, when accepted, trans-
forms all of life.

A Great Poet's Analysis
Israel's greatest prophet, Isaiah,
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EMHOUSE BAPTIST CHURCH VOTED FOR FULL TIME PROGRAM

Under the leadership of the Rev.
Dan S. Sharpley, pastor, the Em-
house Baptist Church, will enter
into "full-time" pastorate work
the membership voted at its regular
business session on December 8.

Formerly on a "half-time" basis
with preaching services on the
second and fourth Sundays of each
month only, the Emhouse Church
will now conduct services on each
Sunday. The decision marks a de-
finite step forward in the progress
of the church and in its program
to administer to the needs of the
community.

The week-end activities of the
church will begin Saturday, De-
cember 15, with the regular weekly
prayer meeting at 6:30 p. m., fol-
lowed by a meeting of officers and
members of the Sunday School.

The pastor will lead the prayer
service, and Superintendent East
will direct the Sunday School
workers meeting.

Sunday services will begin with
the Sunday School at 10 a. m., fol-
lowed by the morning worship ser-
vice at 11. The pastor's morning
sermon topic will be "Compelling
Love". The Baptist Training Union
under the leadership of Director
E. C. Butler, will meet at 4:15
p. m. The pastor's sermon topic
for the evening service at 7 p. m.
is "The Christian and the Church".

Invitation to attend these ser-
vices is issued to every Baptist in
the community, and all visitors will
receive a cordial welcome and
will enjoy the warm fellowship.

quires the advice of some an-
gustious friend in the affairs of life.
—Plautus.

Mine be the reverent, listening
love
That waits all day on Thee,
With the service of a watchful
heart
Which no one else can see.

Childhood itself is scarcely more
lovely than a cheerful, kindly,
sunshiny old age.
—Mrs. L. M. Child.

He loved us, and sent his Son.
—I John 4:10.

If thou faint in the day of ad-
versity, thy strength is small.
—Proverbs.

The Sunday School Lesson for
December 16 is "Exalting Christ
in the Life of the Nation"—Isaiah
9:1, 3, 6, 7; Luke 1:26-38.

Mrs. Earl McClung of Kerens
visited executive headquarters of
the local Red Cross chapter on
Tuesday, and delivered a box of
gifts for hospitalized service men.

Notice
It will be hard to get
around to every home before
Christmas. If you need McNeese
Products, your Corsicana Light
renewed or Aladdin Lamp Sup-
plies, meet me at Corsicana Poul-
try and Egg Company, North
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until 4 o'clock, or write me and I
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SEVEN SENTENCE SERMONS
Have a care less the wrinkles in
the face extend to the heart.
—Marguerite de Valois.

We ask advice, but we mean ap-
probation.
—Colton.

Every man, however wise, re-

COUNTY NEWS

Streetman

STREETMAN, Dec. 13.—(Spl.)—
Jerry Harris arrived home last
week-end from the West Coast
with his baggage from the navy.
At Sgt. J. J. Miller of Dallas
spent the week-end with his
mother and baby daughter, Bar-
bara Jean.

A. Coleman arrived in
Houston last week from two
years spent in the Pacific, to visit
his wife and baby son, who have
been making their home with
Mrs. Coleman's parents, Rev. and
O. F. Barton in Houston. Sgt.
Coleman and his family are visit-
ing his parents here Mr. and
Mrs. J. J. Miller, until Dec.
24, when they will return to Hous-
ton.

Mrs. Ernest Bryant, Jr., and
daughter, Melinda, of Dallas spent
the week-end with their parents
and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs.
Homer Livingston, and Mr. and
Mrs. E. G. Bryant, at their home
in Dallas.

Ward Gilbert son of Mr. and
Mrs. C. Gilbert, has received his
honorable discharge from the
army after three years service,
and is visiting his parents.

Mrs. Laura Tisdale was a Cor-
sicana visitor Friday.

R. G. Bounds was a business
visitor in Waco Thursday.

Mrs. John McGilvary was in
Corsicana Friday and Saturday
to attend the high school coron-
ation ceremony Friday night, when
her niece, Miss Helen Willis, was
crowned queen. Bob to visit her
mother, Mrs. Bob Kent.

A change of residence has
brought Mrs. Ruth Steele and
daughters, Misses Betty Joe and
Macy, from Irene to make their
home in Streetman.

Mrs. W. Miller and grand-
daughter, Barbara Jean, have re-
turned from several weeks' visit
with Mr. Miller, who is employed
at McAlester.

Ralph Grubbs visited in Waco
Monday.

Pat Cooper is a business visitor
in Fort Worth this week.

Rev. O. V. Burton and family
of Houston visited friends here
Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Harris
of Brenham are spending this
week with their mother, Mrs.
Minnie Harris, and brother-in-law
and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas
Sherrard, and Thomas Sherrard,
Jr., who recently returned from
two years service in the European
theater of operations.

Tom Chandler is home on a 30-
day leave from McAlester Hospi-
tal, to visit with his mother, Mrs.
Ribel Chandler, and sister and fam-
ily, Mrs. Morris McCann.

Sgt. Jerry Cole arrived Saturday
from Camp Forrest, and has re-
ceived his honorable dis-
charge following almost three
years service.

Mrs. Morris McCann and baby
daughter, Jean, arrived Saturday
from the P. and S. Hospital.

Mrs. Ralph Sims was in Cor-
sicana on business Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Grayson
arrived Sunday of Mrs. Grayson's
mother in Oakwood.

Misses Jean Harris and Jacque-
lyn Cooper, students at NTSTC,
Denton, week-end guests of
their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Cooper Harris
and baby of Dallas visited rela-
tives here through the week-end.

Mrs. R. E. Cole and daughter,
Jean, returned home Monday
after a week-end visit with their
parents and grandparents, Mr.
and Mrs. E. C. Bryant and Mr.
and Mrs. R. C. Cole. Jerry Cole
accompanied them home for a
week-end visit.

R. C. Cole, Mrs. R. E. Cole
and daughter, Jean, met Sgt. Jer-
ry B. Cole in Tyler Saturday and
visited with Mr. Cole's sister, Mrs.
E. R. Crotty.

Mr. and Mrs. I. O. Smith and
Mrs. H. C. Smith and baby
daughter, Sharon, spent the week-
end in Waxahachie with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Gaddy
have returned from several weeks'
visit with their son and wife,
Lt. and Mrs. A. E. Gaddy, Jr.,
at Camp Gordon Johnson, Fla.

Tupelo

TUPELO, Dec. 11.—(Spl.)—The
district superintendent, Rev. Finis
Crutchfield, and Mrs. Crutchfield
attended Sunday school Sunday
and gave inspirational talks to
the Sunday school. Rev. Crutch-
field gave the sermon.

Mrs. Will Clayton of Sudan is
visiting her parents, Mr. and
Mrs. B. Wheeler, and other rela-
tives.

Lt. and Mrs. Robert McMull-
len left for Denver, Colo., last
week, following an extended vi-
sit to Tupelo with parents and other
relatives.

R. H. Wheeler has returned
from a deer hunt in which he was
successful in killing a deer.
Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Monte
Corsicans visited Mrs. W. C. Bu-
dine Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennett of Enni
were week-end visitors here.
Mr. and Mrs. I. O. Rogers
Corsicans were Sunday visitors
in the home of Mr. and Mrs. S.
F. Braddock.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Edmon-
son of Rice were Sunday after-
noon guests of Mr. and Mrs. I.
E. Burdine and Mrs. Edmondson.

Miss Frances Bowden of Cor-
sicana spent Sunday in Tupelo with
relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Peet
spent the week-end with relatives
in Waco.

Richard Burdine's mother and
sister, Joan, were recent visitors
in Dallas, where Mrs. M. C. Bur-
dine visited her sister, Mrs. Allyn
Douglas.

Barry

BARRY, Dec. 13.—(Spl.)—L.
(Jg) and Mrs. Al Irvin of Flor-
da, Mr. and Mrs. Evans of Cor-
sicana, and Lt. (Jg) and Mrs. Ray
Brooks of Dallas were Sunday
guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack
Brooks.

L. O. McGraw, E. L. Watson
and G. A. Bell attended the Ro-
tary luncheon at the Navarro Ho-
tel in Corsicana Wednesday.

Ensign James Douglas Rags-
dale of Clinton, Okla., was home
over the week-end.

R. W. Varnell, R. E. McCarty,
Roy Grimmer and John Walton
went to Waco Wednesday to at-
tend grand lodge.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Varnell
visited relatives in Mertens Sun-
day.

Mrs. Hazel McClung of Kerens
is visiting her sister, Mrs. L. C.
Howell, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Gillen of
Port Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Frank
Young of Corsicana were guests
of Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Young
Saturday.

Mrs. Glynn Garrett of Waco
visited relatives in Barry over
the week end.

Mrs. Lonnie Kemp and Mrs.
Crockett Tyler spent Tuesday
with Mr. and Mrs. Percy Varnell.

Mrs. Mary Ray and Miss Wil-
lie Mae Ray have sold their home
here and will leave soon for Ark-
ansas to make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Boswell,
Jr., and Mrs. Lowell Reed, Mr.
and Mrs. Percy Varnell, Miss
S. O. Young, John Walton, A. M.
Russell, Misses Billie Jo Russell
and Judy Parks attended the Bos-
well-Wheeler wedding in Waco
Wednesday.

Pvt. Billy Ragan is home on
furlough.

Miss Judy Parks spent the week
end with friends in Athens.

Purdon

PURDON, Dec. 11.—(Spl.)—Mr.
and Mrs. Andrew York of Waco
were here Saturday.

Pvt. Carl Cecil Adkins of
Camp Robinson, Ark., left Tues-
day, after spending a week here.

Cpl. Albert Mosley of New Or-
leans left Monday after spending
a 30-day furlough with his wife
and son, Danny.

Cpl. and Mrs. Beauford Mc-
Craw of San Antonio came in Sun-
day. Cpl. McCraw has received
his discharge from the armed ser-
vices.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Spence of
Levelland spent the week end
with Mr. and Mrs. Alford Mc-
Craw.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis McGhee
and children of Corbet spent Sat-
urday night with Mr. and Mrs.
G. O. McGhee.

Criminal Docket For
January Term Is Set

Following is the setting of the
criminal docket for the January,
1946 term of District Court:
Monday, January 14, 1946:
18775—State of Texas vs. Sam
Allen, murder.
18777—State of Texas vs. Jim
Williams, murder.
18778—State of Texas vs. Lavo-
nia Doss, murder.
W. D. Ralston, assistant county
attorney.

A. P. Mays, district judge.

Frost

FROST, Dec. 13.—(Spl.)—Mrs.
Wade Smith and daughter, Mrs.
Little Youngblood of Waxahachie
were Frost visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Siny of Dal-
las spent the week-end in Frost.
W. E. Stevenson, Nolan Eichen
and Buster Warren were attending
to business in Dallas Tuesday.

Misses Clyde Smith and Ed-
Doyle were Corsicana visitors Fri-
day.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Hightower
of Waco and Mr. and Mrs. Earl
Hightower of Hillsboro were week-
end guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. J.
Hightower.

Mrs. Clyde Tullios of Blooming-
Grove was a Frost visitor Satur-
day night.

Mrs. Leige Crouch returned
Saturday from Boyd sanitarium
in Hillsboro, where she had been
a medical patient for a week.

Mrs. Jerry Smith and daughter,
Mrs. Ford Hawkins, were in
Hillsboro Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Bagly and
little daughter, Carline, of Cor-
sicana were Frost visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Roy Green
and baby of Dallas spent the
week-end with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Blake vi-
sited relatives in Dallas Sunday.

Dresden

DRESDEN, Dec. 11.—(Spl.)—
The cold weather is very welcome
at this time, because there are
quite a few who to be killed yet.

Cpl. Don Cunningham is home
from the European theater, fol-
lowing three years spent in that
area. He received his discharge
at the second station center at Tyler
Dec. 7. He is the son of R. L.
Cunningham.

Richard Cheek of Dallas was
here over last week-end with
homelike, the W. D. Cheeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Hall of
Navarro Mills spent Sunday with
the Claude Meltons.

Mr. and Mrs. Winston Knight
and Martha Jane of Jones Ranch
visited R. L. Cunningham Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elton Cates and
baby of Blooming Grove spent
Sunday with his parents, the Hon-
ner Cates.

Mrs. A. J. Morton visited her
daughters, Misses Joy and Joyce,
in Corsicana from Thursday until
Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hadley
visited Mr. and Mrs. Dick Hale
last Sunday in the Barry commu-
nity.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Watson
and children of Mertens spent
Sunday with the H. S. Crawford
family.

Miss Mahoney and
O. J. Higgins were
married Saturday.

Miss Bobbie Mahoney, daughter
of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Mahoney of
Corsicana, and O. J. Higgins, of
Kansas City, Kans., were married
Saturday morning at 11:00 o'clock
at the First Baptist Church in Fort
Worth.

The bride wore a black, two-
piece dress with black accessories.
Her corsage was pink carnations.

Miss Beulah Miller of Waco was
her only attendant.

Mrs. Higgins is a graduate of
Corsicana High School, and is now
employed by General Motors in
Fort Worth. The bridegroom has
just received his discharge from
the Army Air Corps. The couple
left for a short wedding trip to Gal-
veston immediately following the
ceremony. They plan to make
their home in Fort Worth.

Plant Has Chance To Locate Here

Location of a ceramic company
in Corsicana was offered as a
possibility by Joe Butler, chair-
man of the Industrial committee,
at a meeting of the Chamber of
Commerce board of directors
Tuesday morning.

The plant, which would manu-
facture dinnerware and art ware,
would call for an initial invest-
ment of \$75,000 and a half million
dollar expansion program during
the first year of operation.

William H. Teel of Corpus
Christi has been in Corsicana
twice to inspect a proposed site
for his plant and will give his
verdict to the Chamber of Com-
merce this week. One hundred
employees would be required to
staff the company in its initial
undertaking.

E. C. Mueller, manager of the
Chamber of Commerce, reported
that residential and business
housing was still critical in Cor-
sicana. "But," he said, "there is
no reason why new industry

Reynaud Stroube Is Promoted To Captain

Former First Lieut. Reynaud
Stroube, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. R.
Stroube of this city, has been pro-
moted to a captaincy according to
a message received by relatives
here. Capt. Stroube is now De-
partment commander, Air Com-
munications, on Marcus Island,
which is located one thousand miles
south of Tokyo.

should not come here, because we
find that these housing problems
work themselves out in a short
time."

Butler, chairman of the nomi-
nating committee, presented a
list of 22 candidates to be voted
upon by the membership in Jan-
uary. Eleven are to be elected to
serve on the board of directors
for a two-year term.

The annual meeting and ban-
quet was discussed. President
Will Thompson will appoint a
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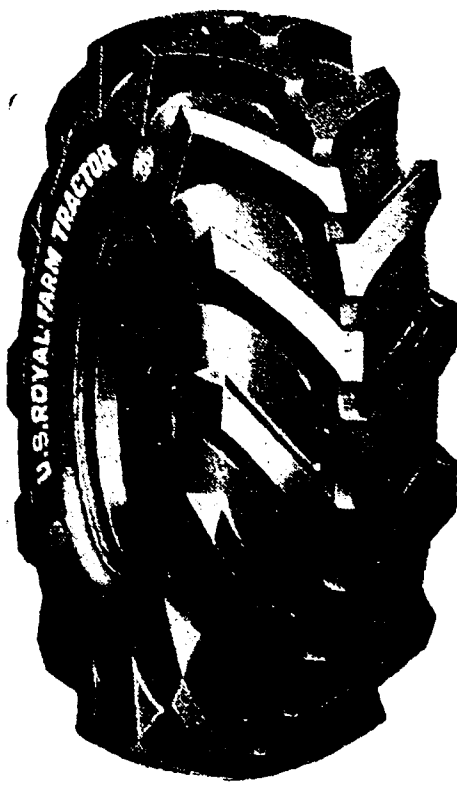
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CORSICANA COLONEL NEW 8TH COMMAND CHEMICAL OFFICER

Lt. Col. Marion E. Whitten, the new Eighth Service Command chemical warfare officer, Dallas, is a Corsicana product, having finished at Corsicana High school and later graduating from Texas A. and M. College in 1922. He is the son of Mrs. R. M. Whitten of Corsicana.

A chemist in Dallas when he was called to active duty, May 6, 1941, Col. Whitten spent 26 months overseas prior to his return to the States in November. He was on General Walker's staff at Camp Polk before going to the Eighth Service Command headquarters in Dallas. The officer's wife and five-year old son, William Reed Whitten, have been residing in Dallas during the war. He was chemist for the Planters Cotton Oil Company before being called into service.

Col. Whitten succeeds Major James C. Portenberry of Fort Arthur, according to an Associated Press dispatch Tuesday from Dallas.

Waco Pioneer Dies
Fred Gafner, aged 80 years, Waco resident half a century, died at his home in Waco Tuesday with a heart attack.

Surviving are his wife, five daughters, three sons and other relatives.

One daughter, Mrs. Louise Edwards, resides at Kerens.

City Commission Awards Contract Airport Hangar

The proposed Corsicana airport came a step closer to reality Monday afternoon when the City Commission, meeting in special session, awarded the contract for a hangar to the Erwin-Newman Co. of Houston.

Mayor John C. Calhoun and Secretary Preston Welch signed for the City of Corsicana, and R. J. Newman, a partner, signed for the Erwin-Newman Co.

The contract calls for construction of a hangar 80 feet wide, 100 feet long, 18 feet high, with a lean-to 20-feet wide, 100 feet long and 10 feet high, at a cost of \$16,000.

A lower bid was submitted by the Armco Co., also of Houston, and was considered favorably by the commission until it was learned that this company could not promise delivery until July.

Erwin-Newman will begin constructing the prefabricated sectional steel hangar not later than February 28, according to the contract and will pay a specified penalty each day if work is not begun.

During the meeting, Mayor Calhoun was authorized to employ an engineer's assistant to help with work at the airport site for the next 90 days.

Cpl. Eula Osteen of 717 East Seventh avenue, Corsicana, has been honorably discharged from the service at Fort Sam Houston.

PM-2C LELAND E. MORTON HAS THRILLING EXPERIENCES ABOARD DESTROYER ESCORT; IS UNHURT

By MRS. LYNNE A. WORTHAM
Sun Society Editor.

Among the men who served aboard the Leray Wilson during the last and most intense year of the Pacific War and who consider themselves fortunate in retrospect is Pharmacists' Mate, Second Class, Leland E. Morton, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Morton of this city. PM Morton has served on the ship since it was commissioned on the afternoon of May 10th, 1944, at the Tennessee Coal and Iron Company dock in Houston, Texas. One of the new 5-inch gun turret type of Destroyer Escort, propelled by two 6,000 horsepower steam turbines, the Leray Wilson was built at an approximate cost of \$3,000,000 by the Brown Shipbuilding Company of Houston.

The ship was named for a Metal-smith Second Class, USN, who was killed in action during a surprise Japanese bombing attack at Darwin, Australia, on February 19th, 1942. Despite the rapidly with which the attack developed and the very obvious, danger to an American warship, he went immediately below decks and had just completed closing all doors and hatches when a bomb hitting the ship within a few feet of him caused his death. Because of his courage and efficiency in the performance of his hazardous task, the flooding of the ship following the explosion was confined to two compartments. He was awarded the Silver Star posthumously.

Ships' Officers and Men
The new ship's Commanding Officer was Lieut. Comdr. Matthew V. Carson. Four of the eight other officers and more than two-thirds of the crew of 184 men had never been to sea.

After a readiness for sea period at Galveston, the ship set sail for shakedown training at Bermuda on May 28th, 1944, with two other new equipment, taking "kinks" out of the ship's machinery.

On July 2nd the Leray Wilson left Bermuda and two days later was in Charleston, Mass., Navy Yard, where a number of alterations were made and the ship's battle information center and plotting room modernized.

The ship arrived at the Panama Canal on July 25th. From there she went to San Diego, and, after a pause, to Pearl Harbor which she entered on August 19th. There she took part in further training exercises in preparation for action against submarines, planes and surface targets.

Arrives in Marshall Islands
On September 22nd, she was in Eniwetok, Marshall Islands. And on October 1st, she was ordered to proceed to Seeadler Harbor, Manus, Admiralty Islands, where she was to prepare for the invasion of Leyte, the largest undertaking of its kind in the Pacific war up to that time.

The Wilson's officers and men, not knowing what was in store for them, and many never having heard of Manus before, were amazed at the mass of ships that saw upon entering Seeadler Harbor. The large anchorage contained virtually the entire 7th Fleet, consisting of most of the old battleships that had been "sunk" at Pearl Harbor, several cruisers, 18 escort carriers, and all the transports, cargo ships, minesweepers, destroyers, destroyer escorts, landing craft, and supporting ships necessary for a tremendous landing operation.

The Leray Wilson had to thread its way through the ships to the berth assigned it like a man hunting a partner on a crowded dance floor.

Encountered Storm
On October 12th, Task Force 77, the striking power of the 7th Fleet, got underway for the objective. Among the approximately 65 ships in the formation was Leray Wilson, which with a unit of CVE's later separated from the cruisers and battleships. The ship encountered her worst storm on the 17th of October, when a typhoon harried severely the invasion fleet.

Warships Sighted
It was on October 25th, an overcast day, when the ship's tactical voice radio brought forth the astounding news that large enemy warships were sighted only 15 miles away. The three destroyers in the Wilson's task unit placed themselves in a protecting line between the vulnerable escort carriers and the enemy force, while the Wilson and 4 other DE's formed an anti-submarine screen on the other side of the carriers, which were launching planes as fast as they could and at the same time making maximum speed to get away from the faster Japanese ships.

A little more than an hour later the enemy commenced firing, and 50 minutes later several splashes from their shells were seen near the three screening destroyers, which had been making a show of return fire at extreme range. But the Japanese were prevented from closing by constant attacks from U. S. planes and by accurate fire from another group of CVE's and DE's which were taking the brunt of the enemy's onslaught. A sister ship of the Leray Wilson, the Samuel B. Roberts, was one of the three American ships of this near-by task unit sunk after having

successfully made a heroic torpedo attack against the vastly more powerful Japanese battleship and cruiser forces. But the Japanese decided to turn back, and in so doing lost for all time the initiative in the Pacific Naval War. Late in November, the Leray Wilson was still in the Philippines protecting shipping lanes from possible enemy air and submarine attacks.

Proceeds to Bougainville
On Dec. 10th, the Leray Wilson proceeded to Capo Torokina, Bougainville, Solomon Islands, where transports and landing craft of the 7th Fleet were taking aboard troops for the coming invasion of Luzon. The Leray Wilson helped escort these back to Manus and in early January went with them up to Lingayen Gulf.

Enemy Bomber Attack
On January 10th, 1945, while the Wilson was patrolling an anti-submarine sector inside Lingayen Gulf, an enemy twin-engine bomber identified as a Nell was seen approaching from seaward. It made a dive from a covering cloud close by and was only about 1,000 yards away and 25 feet above the water when the ship commenced firing with its port 20 MM and forward 40 MM guns. Many hits were observed and the aircraft took fire, flames coming from the port engine and wing. But it could not be stopped and struck the ship's superstructure deck amidships. The fuselage did a somersault and crashed into the water about 100 feet on the other side. Fire that broke out on the ship was extinguished in less than eight minutes as rapidly brought assistance from fire plugs forward and aft. Eleven men of the crew were lost in action. Another, carried over the side by the concussion, was rescued with comparative ease by a DE standing by to assist.

Arrived in Saipan
On March 5th, the Wilson arrived in Saipan, Marianas Islands, to prepare for the invasion of Okinawa. She helped escort one of the amphibious groups which arrived at Okinawa on D-day. The ship remained in waters around Okinawa as part of an anti-submarine and anti-aircraft screen until June 19th, while the Japanese air force did its utmost to destroy U. S. invasion shipping.

On March 19th, the ship proceeded with a merchant convoy to Ulithi Atoll, Caroline Islands, and there she was assigned to a fueling and replenishment group for the fast carrier task groups, now putting finishing touches on the destruction of the Japanese military machine. During the next two months, the Leray Wilson was steaming in waters east of Honshu, protecting the oilers and provision ships which were making possible the Third Fleet's continuous operation against Japan.

War Finally Won
Finally the war was won. And for Leray Wilson, after steaming more than 80,000 miles, it was trail's end when on Sept. 4th, almost surrounded by some of the world's mightiest battleships and cruisers which had preceded the

Allied occupation forces, she lay at anchor in Tokyo Bay. The Leray Wilson has now been transferred to the Seventh Fleet, with headquarters in Tsingtao, China. Since the ship's arrival in Tsingtao, it has made a trip to Hong Kong where it was loaded with Chinese troops and proceeded to Manchuria.

And such are the activities of Pharmacists' Mate Morton since he left Houston, Texas, on May 10th, 1944, aboard the Leray Wilson. The Corsicana and other members of the Leray Wilson's crew agree that the ship was rightly nicknamed—the LUCKY LERAY.

Married in Midland.
Announcement has been received here of the marriage in Midland of Miss Mildred Schuler and Pfc. Ocie Armstrong. Mrs. Armstrong will make her home in Corsicana temporarily, while her husband is stationed at the Army Air Base at Midland.

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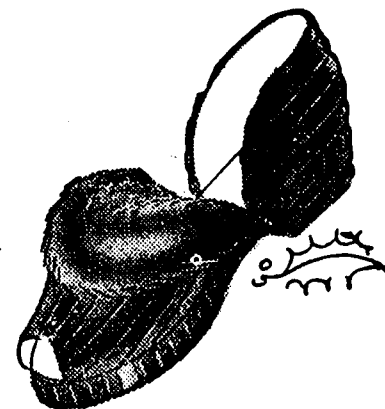
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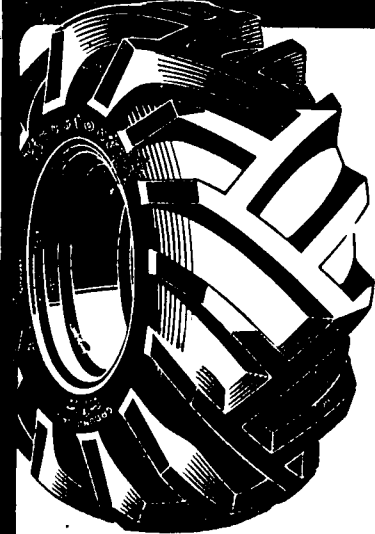
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FUNERAL SERVICES HELD AT GREENVILLE FOR MRS. H. C. PARK

Funeral services for Mrs. H. C. Park, aged 80 years, of Greenville, who died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Gerald McCall, 2021 West Fourth avenue Tuesday morning, were held at Greenville Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Interment was in the Forest Park cemetery in Greenville. The rites were conducted by Rev. W. J. W. Potter, Episcopal rector of Greenville.

Orders Install Port Holes Saved Corporal Fouty Going Overseas

Cpl. Allen T. Fouty, 32, and Mrs. Fouty are mighty thankful that ship's port holes didn't have enough. While additional port holes were being installed, the army's new ruling that no man with 21 months' service would be sent overseas was passed, and Corporal Fouty was consequently left behind when the Maine sailed.

A former salesman, Corporal Fouty turned poet on that one piece which he calls "God Bless the Port Holes."

Food, Clothing For Marines Held China

TIENSIN, China, Dec. 13.—(AP)—Food, winter clothing and medical supplies were dropped by a Marine transport plane today on an inland Chinese village where six Marine fliers, missing more than a month, were reported held.

Tientsin reports said they were held in the unnamed village by Chinese Communists.

(Communists sources in Chungking said recently that six captured American airmen were being released, but there has been no subsequent indication that they were ever free.)

Twelve other Marine fliers went down in a storm over Shantung peninsula Dec. 7. Natives yesterday reported that bodies of six fliers had been found, that a seventh had suffered leg fractures, and that the five others were unhurt.

There was no confirmation of new reports that three more Marines, piloting F-7 fighter planes,

AAA Community Committeemen Named For '46

C. T. Young, Navarro county ACA secretary, announced Wednesday that full reports from the 26 communities in the county holding AAA elections last Saturday had been received at his office.

Results of elections held on the same date to select delegates to the county convention have already been announced, and Wednesday Young released the following list of AAA Community Committeemen elected to serve during the coming year with the first named as chairman, second as vice chairman and third as members:

Frost—Raymond L. Jones, J. Walter Honea and Jodie L. Sheppard. Emmett—Edward R. Stroder, J. C. Green and E. M. Watts. Dawson—John O. Harrison, Jesse L. Cleveland and Edward Hale. Eldorado—Walter V. Hull, Roy L. Nesmith and Clarence E. Hull. Blooming Grove—George W. Ward, Floyd E. Armstrong and Lacy J. McGraw. Lee Putman and Fred McGraw. Pardon—James B. Mosley, George O. McGee and William H. Griffin. Pearsley—William B. Payne, Oscar B. Gunn and L. L. Loftis. Rushing—Eula L. Gunn, Marion Mathison and Daniel P. Frost. Barry—Buell Robinson, Alva M. Russell and Luther C. Boswell.

Pickett—Arthur L. Weeks, Sam Tucker and Newton Roman. West Corsicana—John S. Hicks, Granville C. Rutherford and Homer A. Reames. Navarro—Jack Bessie, George W. Harward and Clint Fouty. Slaton—John D. Miller, Coy R. O'Neil and John G. Harris. Rice—Lee R. Hall, Earl Calloway and Virgil B. Atchley. East Corsicana—Thomas D. Salter, J. W. Dini, Jr. and Jimmie A. Worthing. Midway—Kirby Keel, Horace B. Owens and William Lewis. Chatfield—William P. Thorp, David C. Gatlin and Hugh M. Kirby. Powell—William A. McKinney, Harry Fluker and William L. Lowe. Bette—William C. Wason, Kenneth Sessions and Jack Marshall. West Kereas—Marvin Henderson, Moses J. Crawford and Douglas Walker. East Kereas—Howell C. Redford, Tennyson L. Whorton and Elmer H. Norton.

Rural Shade—Morris Crawford, Robert L. Parker and Clarence F. Henderson. Montfort—Oakley King, Robert M. Gorman and Kenneth Sessions. Euclid—Harold J. Singleton, John F. Farmer and Lloyd Land. Emhouse—Jim B. Collins, William C. Ray and George W. Watkins.

Feller Father Of Seven-Pound Son

CHICAGO, Dec. 11.—(AP)—Bob Feller, Cleveland's pitching ace, excitedly telephoned from nearby Waukegan today to announce the arrival of a seven-pound, nine-ounce boy.

It's the Feller's first youngster.

Harry Bounds and family have moved from Wortham to Corsicana to make their future home.

speediest in the Orient, had been lost somewhere near North China's Great Wall.

IN UNIFORM

Lt. (j.g.) Charles Griffin, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. I. Griffin, has arrived home to spend a leave following 18 months' service in the Pacific area.

BOONVILLE, Mo., Dec. 13.—(AP)—Herbert L. Silverberg and Max B. Silverberg, 402 West Sixth avenue, Corsicana, were named on the dean's honor roll at Kemper Military School here, Major F. J. Alarston, Kemper dean, released today. In order to make the dean's list a cadet must have earned an average in his academic work of 87 or more.

SAMAR, P. I.—Lt. Thomas A. Bunch, 25, USNR, of Corsicana, will soon return to the United States for discharge from active Naval Reserve service after serving with Squadron 13 of the Asiatic Wing, Naval Air Transport Service.

Pfc. L. L. Hickey has been honorably discharged from the service and has returned to Corsicana to make his home with his wife and children at 420 West First Avenue. For the past two years he has been stationed at Aberdeen Proving Grounds, Md. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Hickey and his three brothers also have been honorably discharged.

ON THE USS SHELBY—(Delayed)—Bobby Butler, storekeeper third class, Corsicana, Texas, is serving aboard this attack transport, one of the navy's "Magic Carpet" fleet. The Shelby picked up her first load of homeward-bound veterans Nov. 7 at Saipan. Previously, she participated in the occupation of Japan, sailing into Sasebo, Japan's third largest naval base, on Sept. 22. The Shelby's first combat experience at Okinawa, was followed by a mission to Manila, transporting service troops.

Pvt. Pedro Cruz, son of Mrs. Vinita T. Cruz, returned to the States on November 22 following 32 months' service overseas. With the 338 Engineers, and at times attached to the Fifth Army group, Pvt. Cruz participated in both the African and Italian campaigns. He wears the ETO ribbon with two battle stars and the good conduct medal.

Pvt. Cruz recently resided at Wortham and in Corsicana. He has just received his discharge and is visiting his sisters, Mrs. Victor Robles, Richland, and Mrs. Filomena C. Contreras, Corsicana. His mother now lives in Fort Worth.

SCOTT FIELD, Ill.—Capt. H. B. Bomar, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Bomar, Sr., 1607 Woodlawn, Corsicana, Texas, was released from active duty with the Army Air Forces at the AAF separation base here.

Entering the service in September, 1941, as a private, Capt. Bomar was graduated from Corsicana High and attended Harding-Simmons University. He was on military leave from the International Harvester Co., to which he will return following his release.

Cpl. Lew Lloyd Carter, son of Major and Mrs. William C. Carter, received his army discharge at San Antonio and has arrived to be at home with his parents. In the service for the past three years, he was with the Army Medical Corps in campaigns through France, Czechoslovakia and Germany.

A brother, S-Sgt. Bill Carter, arrived home Tuesday. He has received his discharge following three years' service, a finance officer with a B-29 bomber group.

**FUNERAL RITES FOR
MRS. J. L. EASLEY
CONDUCTED THURSDAY**

Funeral services for Mrs. J. L. Easley, aged 77 years, who died at the family home, 813 East Ninth avenue, Wednesday morning, were held Thursday afternoon from the Corley Funeral chapel at 3:30 o'clock. Burial was in Oakwood cemetery. The rites were conducted by Rev. Clyde Griffin, Baptist minister.

Surviving are her husband, Corsicana; three daughters, Mrs. Joe T. Smith and Mrs. Ben Fire at Powell.

Fire of undetermined origin destroyed a residence occupied by Louella Coleman, nee, in Powell Tuesday afternoon. The Corsicana fire department answered the call to assist in preventing the spread of the flames to adjacent properties.

SMU Tackle Declines Offer.

DALLAS, Dec. 13.—(AP)—Tom Dean, all-Southwest conference tackle from Southern Methodist University, yesterday said he would not accept an invitation to play in the annual East-West All-Stars' football game in San Francisco.

Instead, Dean said he will play in the North-South All-Star game at Montgomery, Ala., Dec. 29.

SMU Trims Tech

DALLAS, Dec. 13.—(AP)—The Southern Methodist Mustangs rolled over the Texas Tech Raiders 50 to 27 in a basketball match here last night.

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County Financial Statement Given To Commissioners

Following is the financial statement of county funds as submitted to the commissioners court Monday at its regular December meeting by E. Y. Cunningham, county auditor:

GENERAL FUND
Nov. 1st, 1945 Bal. \$ 111.44
November Receipts.... 4,698.51
Nov. Disbursements.... 4,810.82

Dec. 1st, 1945 Bal. \$ 2.87
Approved Budget..... \$ 80,400.00
Disbursements 58,764.42

Balance Available..... \$ 21,635.58
SALARY FUND
Nov. 1st, 1945 Bal. \$ 500.58
November Receipts.... 5,388.93

Disbursements 5,888.51
Nov. 1st, 1945 Bal. \$ 5,490.46

Dec. 1st, 1945 Bal. \$ 429.05
Approved Budget..... \$ 75,825.00
Disbursements 62,289.86

Balance Available..... \$ 13,535.14
JULY FUND
Nov. 1st, 1945 Bal. \$ 15,097.53
November Receipts.... 64.15

Disbursements 15,181.68
Nov. 1st, 1945 Bal. \$ 14,953.68
Approved Budget..... \$ 18,800.00
Disbursements 3,027.64

Balance Available..... \$ 15,772.36
PERMANENT IMPROVEMENT FUND
Nov. 1st, 1945 Bal. \$ 2,495.73
November Receipts.... 78.32

Disbursements 2,574.05
Nov. Disbursements.... 397.28

Dec. 1st, 1945 Bal. \$ 2,176.79
Approved Budget..... \$ 14,100.00
Disbursements 4,756.22

Balance Available..... \$ 9,343.78
ROAD & BRIDGE FUND
Precinct No. 1
Nov. 1st, 1945 Bal. \$ 3,732.57
Tax Collections—Sept... 280.37
Fines 14.76
Terracing 30.00
Miscellaneous Refunds... 55.60

Disbursements Nov.... 4,113.30
Commissioners Salary.. 1,639.89
Nov. Disbursements.... 187.50

Dec. 1st, 1945 Bal. \$ 1,452.39
Approved Budget..... \$ 31,357.49
Disbursements 28,657.07

Balance Available..... \$ 2,700.42
Precinct No. 2
Nov. 1st, 1945 Bal. \$ 2,315.01
Tax Collections Sept... 228.80
Fines 12.05
Terracing 13.00

Disbursements Nov.... 2,568.86
Commissioners Salary.. 187.50

Dec. 1st, 1945 Bal. \$ 707.55
Approved Budget..... \$ 25,646.17
Disbursements 22,870.28

Balance Available..... \$ 2,593.89
Precinct No. 3
Nov. 1st, 1945 Bal. \$ 2,747.48
Tax Collections—Sept... 228.80
Fines 12.05
Terracing 42.50

Disbursements 3,030.83
Commissioners Salary.. 1,409.89

Dec. 1st, 1945 Bal. \$ 1,621.14
Approved Budget..... \$ 1,433.64
Disbursements 25,464.17

Balance Available..... \$ 4,078.63
Precinct No. 4
Nov. 1st, 1945 Bal. \$ 1,818.64
Tax Collections—Sept... 228.80
Fines 12.05
Terracing 502.77

Disbursements 2,562.26
Commissioners Salary.. 687.50

Dec. 1st, 1945 Bal. \$ 1,874.78
Approved Budget..... \$ 1,687.26
Disbursements 25,464.17

Balance Available..... \$ 657.77
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Total Disbursements.... 90,034.83

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LOCAL ODD FELLOWS GROUPS INSPECTED; ELECT NEW OFFICERS

Officers for the ensuing year for the M. D. Herring Canton No. 8 and Ladies Auxiliary were elected at the regular meeting Monday evening at the IOOF Hall. Major Gen. C. M. McLaughlin of Tyler, department commander of Texas, Patriarchs Militant, conducted the official inspection of the local organizations.

Other high ranking officials present included Lady President Dorothy Paslay, Dallas; Mrs. Jane Apple, Dallas, past Rebekah Assembly of Texas president; Col. H. H. Lummus, grand scribe of the Grand Encampment, Ennis; and R. N. Paslay, Dallas, past grand patriarch.

Officers will be installed in January as follows:
Ladies Auxiliary—Oma Hagler, president; Annie Rehders, vice president; Clara Rascoe, secretary, and Carrie Gordon, treasurer.
M. D. Herring No. 8 (Canton)—Joe Allen, captain; Fred O. Brooks, lieutenant; W. T. Rascoe, ensign; W. A. Chaffee, clerk; H. L. Hayes, adjutant, and Joe Rehders, representative.

Snow Flurries Here.
It snowed in Corsicana Tuesday. Scattered flurries hit the downtown section sporadically throughout the morning, and leaden skies promised more to come. The thermometer dropped to 35 degrees during the night, but the low reading was much higher than expected after Monday's low of 26. High for the 24-hour period ending at 7 a. m. Tuesday was 50.

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All former girls of the Navarro County N. Y. A. Resident Center are requested to meet at the home of Mrs. C. J. Colp, 702 West Second Avenue, on Sunday, December 16th, for a spend-the-day homecoming celebration. Each girl is requested to bring a covered dish, as a covered dish luncheon will be a feature of the occasion.

Mrs. Colp served as supervisor of the Center for three and one-half years and is anxious for all girls who resided at the Center to have a good, old-fashioned, homecoming.

No certain hours have been set—the girls are requested to come during the morning hours and spend the day on Sunday, December 16th.

FATHER OF DAWSON RESIDENT DIES IN DALLAS ON SUNDAY

Funeral services for Ples G. Davis, who died in Dallas Sunday, were held Tuesday afternoon with interment in the Garden of Memories in Dallas.

Surviving are his wife, Dallas; six daughters, a brother, five grandchildren, a niece and other relatives. One daughter, Mrs. M. H. Hampton, resides in Dawson, Texas.

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Dr. Pepper Cagers Trample Hillsboro Junior College 66-16

Dr. Pepper's high flying quintet journeyed over to Hillsboro Wednesday night and cooled the Hill county ardor with a convincing lopsided 66-16 win over Hillsboro Junior college.

Tied with YMCA for top league honors in the local Y league the Dr. Peppers are approaching the red pepper stage of hotness with wins over Frost Ginners twice, one over Oil City and Wednesday's triumph over Hillsboro.

Friday night they travel to Ferris where they will match passes and shots with the Ferris Independents.

Vet Runs 100 Yards In 13 Seconds - On Artificial Leg

RICHMOND, Va., Dec. 13.—(AP)—Ward-mates registered a "show me" attitude when Larry Toscano, 21, of Lynchburg, N. J., an amputee at McGuire General Hospital here, vowed that he could run the 100-yard dash in 12 seconds on his artificial leg. He showed them—in 13 seconds.

The exhibition was the result of a scheduled appearance later cancelled, of former Lt. Bert Shepherd, who pitched for the Washington Senators last season. A war department announcement heralded a 12-second 100-yard run by Shepherd, a below-the-knee amputee.

"I got good and mad," said Toscano, former semi-professional baseball and football player in Jersey City, "when my buddies said I couldn't be done."



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Top Heavy Cage Score
HAZELTON, Ida., Dec. 13.—(AP)—In a girls' basketball game Hazelton high school tossed 92 points through the hoop to defeat Murtaugh High School 92 to 1. The losers were held to a lone free throw.

Ed Rittersbacher is New Trials Official

Ed Rittersbacher, Corsicana sportsman, is the new secretary-treasurer of the Texas Open Field Trials association, according to an announcement Thursday.

He succeeds Rufus D. Shell, Corsicana, resigned, who has served the post four years.

A. P. Mays, district judge here, has been president of the association for the past several years.

The record-breaking 1945 meet was concluded earlier in the week after nine days of competition over the association's preserves in the Malakoff area.

Porker Going West
FAYETTEVILLE, Ark., Dec. 13.—(AP)—The University of Arkansas' star football center, Earl (Red) Wheeler, may play in the annual East-West game at San Francisco Jan. 1. University officials said Wheeler was invited and had received conference permission.

Bergstrom Downs Love
DALLAS, Dec. 13.—(AP)—Bergstrom Field of Austin took their fourth straight cage victory by downing the Love Field quintet 47 to 32 here last night.

LEVI GRIMES DIED HERE THURSDAY A.M.; FUNERAL BE FRIDAY

Levi Grimes, aged 76 years, died Thursday morning at 418 North Fifth street.

Surviving are his wife of Corsicana; six sons, H. E. Grimes, Corsicana; Godfrey and Eli Grimes, both of Marquette; P. F. Grimes, Corsicana; E. F. Grimes, Houston; and Herman Grimes, U. S. Armed Forces, Japan; two daughters, Mrs. Ruth Strong and Mrs. Fugate. Both of Houston; brother, Eli Grimes, Marquette; a sister, Mrs. Julia Phillips, Marquette; 20 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held at Marquette Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Corley Funeral Home will direct.

Christmas Packages Lost During Storms

Christmas packages mailed to servicemen designated under APO 729 were lost in their entirety, local postmaster announced.

The Christmas cargo in question was mailed during the October 15-November 15 period set aside for overseas mailing, and was bound for servicemen in the Aleutian Islands.

Consequently, persons who wish to mail additional packages APO 729 may do so at this time without requests, G. C. Hudson, local postmaster announced.

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District Insurance Office Opened Here

Marc (Bunk) Cloud, returned veteran, is the general agent, ordinary department, American National Insurance Company of Galveston, in the new district office established in the Corsicana National Bank building, according to announcement.

The district embraces Navarro, Ellis and Freestone counties.

Cloud was connected with this company for 11 years before entering the armed forces where he served 37 months, including 18 months in the European territory, before being discharged November 14. He formerly resided in Tyler and Houston. Mrs. Cloud is the former Miss Frances Fullerton of Corsicana.

Body Identified By Dental Work

SAN ANTONIO, Dec. 13.—(AP)—A San Antonio dentist, Dr. J. Russell Saunders, identified the upper and lower plates of a skeleton found near here Sunday as work he performed on Jefferson D. Lauderdale, 32, a Kelly Field employe, Justice of the Peace Bat Corrikan said.

Sheriff's Investigator D. L. Holt said that Lauderdale disappeared March 2 from his San Antonio home and was last seen by his landlady, Mrs. R. W. Albrook.

Potts Resumes 4-H Club Work at A&M

COLLEGE STATION, Dec. 13.—(AP)—James W. Potts has resumed his 4-H club work at Texas A. and M. College as club specialist. Ide P. Trotter, director of the organization, announced today.

Potts left A. and M. two years ago to assist in establishing the extension farm labor program for the government.

He is a graduate of Texas Technological College at Lubbock.

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TEXAS GAINS FARM ACREAGE, BUT OFF OVER 19,000 FARMS

COLLEGE STATION, Dec. 13.—(AP)—Although Texas gained 10 farm acres since 1940, the state lost more than 19,000 farms in the same period, the Bureau of Census, department of commerce at Washington revealed.

The figures, which were received here today, showed that the number of farms in the 254 Texas counties decreased from 418,002 in 1940 to 388,185 in 1945, equivalent to a loss of 4.7 per cent.

At the same time farm acreage increased from 137,883,372 to 143,221,610 or 4 per cent, in the five year period, the report showed.

Further breakdown of the department's figures show that the greatest gain in farmland in any county was more than 700,000 acres in Hudspeth county in West Texas. The largest loss, of more than 832,000 acres, was in Webb county, which also lost 155 farms. The greatest gain in number of farms, 1,979, was in Hidalgo county in the lower Rio Grande Valley. Harris county led in the number of farms lost, 1,866.

Shackelford Judge Runs For Congress

ALBANY, Dec. 13.—(AP)—William W. Blanton, Shackelford County judge, has announced his candidacy for congress from the 17th district of Texas.

A former staff sergeant of World War II, Blanton was elected county judge in 1940 and re-elected in 1942. He resigned in 1943 to enlist in the army and served 18 months in the China-Burma-India theater as a special agent of the counter intelligence corps.

Winning Students Bond Sales Will Be Entertained Friday

An appreciation banquet for the bond sales winners of Navarro county schools will be held at the Navarro Hotel Friday at 6:30 p. m., according to an announcement by Mrs. Glynn M. Johnston, member of the committee.

A. P. Mays, district judge, will be the principal speaker and Dr. H. Harvey, Jr., city chairman and the Victory Loan campaign, will be master of ceremonies. Joe E. Butler is county chairman. A. F. Mitchell and J. L. Collins are city co-chairmen, while Mrs. W. H. Hastings and Mrs. Johnson are committee members. The invocation will be given by W. P. McCammon, president of the Corsicana board of education.

The winner of first place in each school will receive a certificate of merit. Corsicana, Mildred and Barry schools are to be represented.

Powell High Cagers To Play In Tourney

Powell High School basketball clubs are scheduled to compete in a tournament Friday and Saturday at the Cross Roads High School gymnasium, according to an announcement.

There are six girls' teams and eight boys' aggregations entered.

DePaul, Indiana Advance
CHICAGO, Dec. 13.—(AP)—De Paul University, the host team in Chicago's first invitational college basketball tournament, and Indiana State Teachers College of Terre Haute, were winners in the first round games last night at Chicago Stadium. Semi-finals are scheduled tomorrow night and the finals Saturday.

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1. Remove cream
2. Small rug
3. Monkey
4. Short letter
5. Single thing
6. So, American
7. Architectural pier
8. Kind of bean
9. Devout
10. Sea bird
11. Polish
12. American
13. Come in
14. Tablet
15. Depart quickly
16. Old French coin
17. First man

DOWN
18. Laundry
19. Dry
20. Scarcer
21. Crusted dish
22. Waste allowance
23. Kind of plum
24. Old musical note
25. Pertaining to rain
26. Negative
27. Frolic
28. Distinct
29. Part of an insect's back
30. Meditate
31. Present
32. Salutation
33. Opposite of weather
34. Try

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TUNE ALICE L
OMEN TAMARACK
NO TRIM METIS
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DIVERTS RIM
ORONO ENID BE
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VOW NEER EKE
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Solution Tuesday's Puzzle

DOWN
1. Long narrow
2. Cattle
3. Present
4. Intended
5. Kind of slipper
6. Indigo plant
7. Now, the speed of
8. Degrees
9. Representative
10. Serenity
11. Compound
12. Either
13. A fresh
14. City in Portugal
15. Nuisance
16. Genus of the maple tree
17. Savory
18. French revolutionist
19. Great water
20. Italian mountain
21. Fodder pit
22. Depend
23. That time
24. Naval officer
25. Broad flat piece
26. Turn out to be
27. Frolic with
28. Egg-shaped
29. California
30. Employed
31. Convence
32. Expense
33. Grafted
34. Hierarchy

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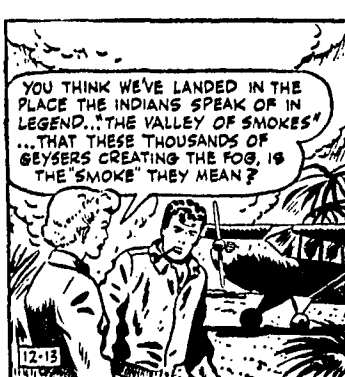
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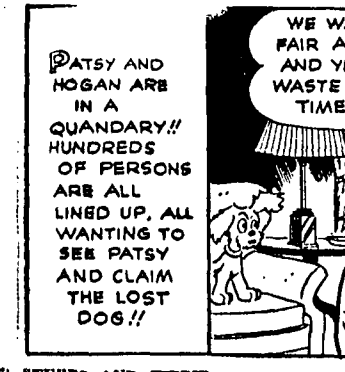
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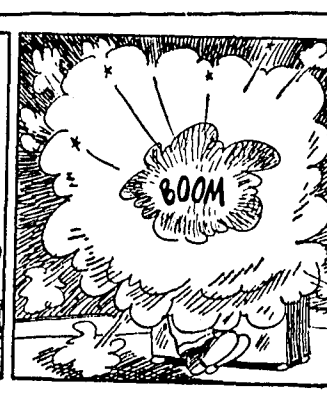
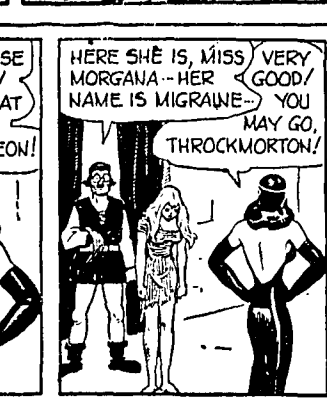
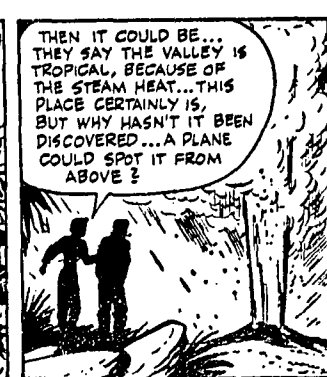
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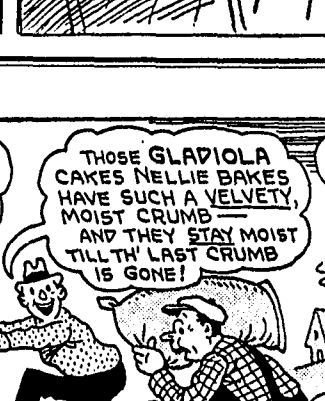
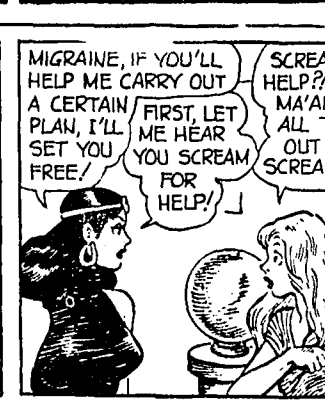
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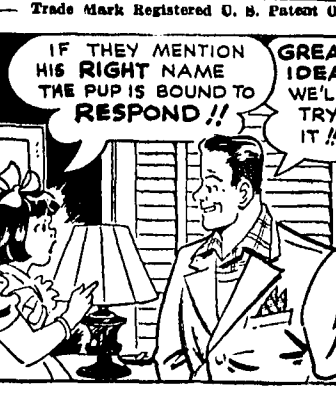
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4-H CLUB NEWS

Miss Jo Ann Millican, assistant home demonstration agent, met with a group of girls at Montfort, Monday, December 10, for organization of the Montfort 4-H Girls Club.

The following officers were elected at the re-organizational meeting: president, Betty Wylie; vice-president, Evelyn Gorman; song and recreational leaders, Wanda Sue Garner and Betty Wylie; sponsor, Mrs. R. T. Montfort; clothing demonstrator, Lena Faye Montfort; reporter, Evelyn Gorman.

The next meeting of the club will be on Thursday, January 3, 1946. All of the new club's members expressed interest in the work and are anticipating many benefits from the club program.

Emhouse 4-H.
The Emhouse 4-H Club met Tuesday, at 11:00 o'clock in the

high school, with Miss Jo Ann Millican, assistant home demonstration agent, present.

The club discussed plans for a Christmas party and voted to hold the party at the December 18 meeting. Miss Millican demonstrated methods of providing inexpensive Christmas gift wrappings, and examples of arranging attractive centerpieces reminiscent of the season from materials readily available by every 4-H Club girl.

Christmas Gift Suggestions

The most appreciative gift is something that grows in value. We suggest rose bushes, gardenias, fruit or nut trees, gladioli, bulbs, shrubs, and we also have a nice line of pottery. Visit our nursery, six miles south on Highway 75.

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HOLIDAY SWEETNESS



CITRUS FRUIT CAKE... For holiday cheer.

By CHARLOTTE ADAMS
Associated Press Food Editor.

As a present for your very best friend, or as the thing that'll give a gala air to your family Christmas party, there's nothing to surpass a beautiful homemade cake. It's worth going to some trouble in preparing cake and decorations to achieve the result which the recipe below gives.

Citrus Fruit Cake.
4 egg whites, 1-2 cup sugar, 3 cups flour, 3 teaspoons baking powder, 2-3 cup butter or vitaminized margarine, 1-2 cup sugar, 1 tablespoon grated orange rind, 4 egg yolks, 1 cup orange or grapefruit juice or wine, 1-2 pound almonds blanched whole, 1 cup white raisins, fruit peels.

To Make Fruit Peels.
1-2 pound candied orange peels, (approximately 4 medium oranges), 1-2 pound candied lemon peel (approximately 6 lemons), 1-4 pound candied grapefruit (1 large or 2 small grapefruit), 1 orange rose, 5 grapefruit leaves.

Cut orange peel in small circles and peel one orange in shape of a rose by cutting small circle from blossom end and continuing to cut ring in single strip, even to the other end, finishing off with a circle. Roll up to look like rose. Fasten with toothpicks. Cut grapefruit in small diamonds and in five rose-shaped leaves. Cut lemon peel in silvers. Peel orange, lemon and grapefruit peel separately in water, discarding one or more waters until bitterness is removed, then adding equal quantities water and white corn syrup to cover. Cook until peels are clear. Remove rose. Add a little red food coloring to orange peel circles and a little green food coloring to grapefruit peel diamonds and leaves. Let stand until desired amount of color has been absorbed. Drain.

(Reserve ten orange circles, ten teaspoons lemon peel, rose and leaves for decorations on cake.)

To Make the Cake.

Beat egg whites stiff with pinch of salt. Add sugar and beat to points. Set aside. Sift with baking powder, Cream butter or margarine, sugar, grated orange rind and egg yolks until fluffy. Add to flour mixture with fruit juice or wine and mix until batter looks smooth. Fold in egg whites. Place one-third batter in well greased casserole. Sprinkle with green grapefruit peel. Add one-third more dough and sprinkle with lemon peel, nuts and raisins. Add remaining dough and sprinkle with red orange peel. Bake in slow oven (325 degrees) one and one-quarter hours. Cool.

To Decorate the Cake.
Confectioner's sugar frosting or almond paste, 1 orange peel rose, 5 grapefruit rose, leaves, 10 red

orange circles, 10 teaspoons lemon peel.
Frost cake with thin layer of confectioner's sugar frosting or almond paste. Decorate with orange peel rose, surrounded by grapefruit leaves. Add red orange circles and lemon silvers around edge.

Activities Among County Home Clubs

Mildred Club.
The Mildred Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. J. L. Hamilton of Eureka for their recent meeting.

Following a short business session, members enjoyed a Christmas party during which many attractive gifts were exchanged. The club presented a lovely satin-bound blanket to Mrs. I. W. Sheffield for her splendid work as president during the year.

Refreshments included ice cream, fruit cake, and minis. The next meeting will be on January 14, at the club house with Mrs. R. Gonten as hostess.

Eleven members and four visitors attended the recent meeting.

Pope Issues Appeal For Church Unity

ROME, Dec. 13. (AP)—Pope Pius XII appealed to Christians everywhere today for reunion "with Peter and his successor" (the Pope).

The appeal for church unity was made in a lengthy letter to the Archbishop of Trent marking the fourth centenary of the inauguration of the Council of Trent, which was called to consider church problems growing out of the Protestant schism four centuries ago.

Birth of Son Announced
Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Walter Erwin, Jr., announce the birth of a son, Thomas Walter Erwin, III, on December 11 in Dallas. The grandparents are T. W. Erwin, Sr., and Mr. and Mrs. W. Wilson Peevey, all of Dallas. The Erwins will be back in their new home in Corsicana around December 17.

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AAA Election Results Made Public Tuesday

Results of elections held in 26 Navarro county communities Saturday to select delegates to the AAA County Convention tentatively set for Monday, December 17, were announced Tuesday by AAA officials.

County convention delegate and one alternate were elected in each community as follows: Frost, Raymond Jones, delegate, Gwyn L. Haley, alternate; Emmett, Herann Daniels, delegate, and J. A. Raines, alternate; Dawson, John O. Harrison, delegate, Jesse L. Cleveland, alternate; Eldorado, Dewey Renfro, delegate, Frank Shaw, alternate; Blooming Grove, George W. Ward, delegate, Elmer D. Ingram, alternate; Dresden, Milton O. Thomas, delegate, Lee Putman, alternate; Purdon, James B. Mosley, delegate, George O. McGeehee, alternate.

Pursley, Marion L. Hardin, delegate, John Mahoney, alternate; Rushing, Jim Richards, delegate, Arthur N. Brown, alternate; Barry, Alva M. Russell, delegate, Buell Robinson, alternate; Pickett, Arthur L. Weeks, delegate, Sam Tucker, alternate; Emhouse, Claude V. Brethaupt, delegate, Homer McNabb, alternate; West Corsicana, John S. Hicks, delegate, Granville G. Rutherford, alternate; Navarro, George W. Harvard, delegate, Jack Bessie, alternate; Streetman, John D. Miller, delegate, Coy R. O'Neal, alternate.

Rice, Martin V. Fitzgerald, delegate, Delbert F. Bell, alternate; East Corsicana, J. W. Dial, Jr., delegate, Thomas D. Salter, alternate.

Eureka, Harchel I. Single, delegate, Brice R. Bonner, alternate; Midway, William J. Lewis, delegate, Willie D. Pillars, alternate; Chatfield, William P. Thorpe, delegate, Hugh M. Kirby, alternate; Powell, Richard E. Bush, delegate, William M. Lowe, alternate.

Montfort, Arthur B. Holloway, delegate, Homer Marshall, alternate; Bazette, Dock Fields, delegate, Josh Duncan, alternate; West Kerens, William M. Gowin, delegate, Joe R. Washburn, alternate; East Kerens, Howell C. Riddford, delegate, Ford H. Ivey, alternate; Rural Shade, Morris Crawford, delegate, Robert L. Parker, alternate.

AAA County Convention will be held at the county convention which is to be held in Corsicana at the courthouse. C. T. Young, ACA Secretary, stated that while the December 17 date is not absolute, the convention will probably be held on that date.

W. V. Harrison of Frost was a recent visitor at local Red Cross headquarters to deliver 101 Christmas gifts for hospitalized service men.

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Premium Crackers 1 Lb. Box **17c**
PEACHES Gingham Girl Halves—Large Can **27c**

Soap of Beautiful Women **Camay** 8 Bars **20c**
Ivory 1 Lge. Pkg. **23c**
Flakes 1 Lge. Pkg. **23c**
Snow 1 Lge. Pkg. **23c**
Washes Clothes White **Oxydol** 1 Lge. Pkg. **23c**
Duz Does Everything 1 Lge. Pkg. **23c**
Duz 1 Lge. Pkg. **23c**
Soap For Baby's Skin **Ivory** 3 Lbs. Bar **29c**
The Soap That Floats **Ivory** Med. Bar **06c**
Keep Colors Bright **Dreft** 1 Lge. Pkg. **23c**
Personal Size 2 Bars **09c**
Ivory 1 Lge. Pkg. **23c**
New Soapy Rich **Rinso** 1 Lge. Pkg. **23c**
Soap Flakes **Lux** 2 Pkgs. **19c**
Beauty Soap of the Stars **Lux** 2 Pkgs. **09c**
Health Soap **Lifebuoy** 3 Bars **20c**
Floating Soap **Swan** 3 Lge. Bars **29c**
Pure As Fine Castles **Swan** 3 Med. Bars **06c**
Gold 3 Pkgs. **14c**
Bath Size **Palmolive** 2 Bars **19c**
Complexion Soap **Palmolive** 3 Bars **20c**
Lots of Suds **Super Suds** 1 Lge. Pkg. **23c**
Water Softener **Vel** 1 Lge. Pkg. **23c**
Cashmere Bouquet **Soap** 3 Bars **27c**
Cake Flour **Sno-Sheen** 2 1/2 lb. Box **26c**
Cake Flour **Sunnyfield** 2 1/2 lb. Box **20c**
Enriched Flour **Pillsbury** 16 Lbs. **55c**
Enriched Flour **Sunnyfield** 16 Lbs. **45c**
Dog Food **Red Heart** Box **10c**
Cleanser **Old Dutch** 2 Pkgs. **15c**
Cleanser **White Sail** Pkg. **04c**
Eagle Chili **Powder** 1 Lge. Pkg. **35c**



For Lighter Cakes **SPRY** Vegetable Shortening 3 Lbs. **68c**
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SPINACH A&P Grade A No. 2 Can **12c**
CORN A&P Grade A Sunnyfield No. 2 Can **13c**
PANCAKE FLOUR 26 Oz. Pkg. **07c**
GREEN BEANS Iona Cream Style No. 2 Can **10c**
CORN Iona Cream Style No. 2 Can **11c**
LIQUID WAX A-Penn Pint Can **25c**
FRUIT CAKE Jane Parker Size **\$1.65**

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TEXAS ORANGES 4 lbs. **29c**
WHITE GRAPEFRUIT lb. **05c**
YELLOW ONIONS 3 lbs. **18c**
CARROTS Bunch **07c**
EGG PLANT lb. **15c**
RUSSET POTATOES 10 lbs. **45c**
SWEET POTATOES 3 lbs. **25c**

IN MEAT ITS QUALITY THAT COUNTS

HENS, young and tender lb. **47c**
FRYERS, fat and tender lb. **57c**
ROAST, Grade A Veal, chuck or arm lb. **25c**
STEAK, T-Bone, Grade A lb. **35c**
SAUSAGE, Pure Pork lb. **35c**
OYSTERS Selects lb. **83c**



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